



REFUGEES TRY OUT FOR SYMPHONY

Among many talented Hungarians seeking refuge in B.C. are these two musicians, oboist Zoltan Roman and viola player John Csaba. Both will audition for the Victoria Symphony, and Roman needs loan of an oboe.

Hans Gruber, symphony conductor, is assisting in attempt to find instrument. The Hungarians are staying at the home of Dr. J. W. Anderson, 3026 McAnnally. Third musician, a flautist, arrives here Thursday.—(Times photo)

Israel Unveils New Plan To End Mid-East Deadlock

3-Point Proposal Revealed to UN

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (CP) — Israel disclosed today she has submitted a three-point proposal to UN Secretary-General Dag Hammarskjöld aimed at breaking her deadlock with Egypt.

An Israeli spokesman said the plan involved:

1. A declaration that Israel will co-operate with any UN effort designed to establish peace in the trouble area, based on the principles of the UN charter.

2. A request to Hammarskjöld to ask Egypt whether she agrees to mutual abstention from belligerent acts by land, sea and air upon withdrawal of Israeli troops.

3. A reference to the Sharm el Sheikh sector commanding the Gulf of Aqaba and the stated question of measures designed to end interference with free navigation in the straits of Tiran and Aqaba.

The announcement came as President Eisenhower told his Washington press conference he believes Israel will withdraw its forces from both the Gaza Strip and the Gulf of Aqaba.

In another phase of the Middle East crisis, Britain and France arranged to call on Hammarskjöld to press for early resumption of talks seeking a speedup in the delayed Suez Canal settlement.

These developments were disclosed as a new and stronger attitude against Israel by the U.S. has led to speculation in UN circles that big-power pressure might be applied by Washington in the dispute between Egypt and Israel.

Hammarskjöld, working on the basis of a vaguely worded resolution passed last weekend by the General Assembly, has not been able to satisfy Israel that her interests will be protected by the UN if she pulls her troops out of the two key areas she is still holding in defiance of another resolution calling on her to withdraw without delay.

OTTAWA (CP) — The citizen newspaper says Israel has cancelled her order for 24 Canadian-built Sabre jet fighters, placed last September.

The \$7,200,000 aircraft order, on which Israel had taken "technical acceptance" of eight of the aircraft, built by Canair, Ltd., Montreal, has been in a state of suspension since Israel invaded Egypt last October. The paper says Israel has been repaid \$2,000,000 she had advanced on the order.

Russia Charges U.S. Waging 'Secret War'

IT'S GETTING WARMER, BUT SLEET POSSIBLE

Temperatures are rising slowly above the freezing level, and will remain comparatively warm tonight and Thursday, according to weatherman William Mackie.

He predicted a minimum of 33 degrees tonight, and a maximum of 38 degrees Thursday.

A small storm moving southward will bring precipitation overnight, with partial clearing Thursday afternoon. "It may fall as rain and snow mixed," he said, "but it should stop by noon Thursday."

King Saud Endorses Ike Plan

WASHINGTON (AP) — King Saud of Saudi Arabia said today President Eisenhower's Middle East proposal "is a good one which is entitled to consideration and appreciation" of Arab countries.

Saud disclosed his view at a hastily-arranged press conference.

This was the first direct and open statement he had made on the plan for standby authority for the president to use American military force against overt Communist aggression in the Middle East, and to provide \$200,000,000 a year in U.S. arms and economic aid there.

LEBANON'S PLEDGE
Saud's declaration came on the heels of a pledge from Lebanon's Foreign Minister Malik to seek support among the Arab states for the Eisenhower plan.

Malik, after a visit to Eisenhower, said he had given that assurance to the president.

At the same time, however, Malik said: "Nobody knows more than I do how difficult it will be to win full Arab co-operation."

King Saud said he expects to reach an agreement with Eisenhower before leaving Washington this weekend on the continued U.S. use of the Dhahran air base in his country.

The resolution to carry out Eisenhower's plan, meanwhile, entered the final Senate stage.



FLEDGLING MLAs LEARN ROPES

New members of B.C.'s 25th legislature were busy "learning the ropes" today in preparation for Thursday's session opening. Government member

George Massey of Delta (left) here shakes hands with sergeant-at-arms Denzil Ashby, while Mrs. Buda Brown and Socred whip Bert Price look on.—

PREMIER ENTERTAINS FOLLOWERS AT LUNCHEON

MLA's Arrive for House Opening; Socreds Caucus at Empress Hotel

MLAs from all corners of the province converged on Victoria today in readiness for the opening of the B.C. Legislature by Lieut.-Governor Frank Ross at 3 p.m. Thursday.

Many went direct to the Legislative Buildings where they were formally sworn in by E. K. DeBeck, clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Among the first arrivals were Francis Richter (SC, Similkameen); Richard Newton (SC, Columbia); Tom Uphill (Independent Labor, Fernie); Irvine Sheldford (SC, Omineca); Cyril Corbett (SC, Yale); Donald Robinson (SC, Lillooet); George Massey, the new Socred member for Delta.

With Mrs. Buda Brown, new Social Credit member for Vancouver-Point Grey, the Social Crediters held a brief informal meeting with government party whip Bert Price before attending a private luncheon in the Georgian lounge at the Empress Hotel, where Premier Bennett entertained all of his party members.

Immediately after lunch, a party caucus was held at which the premier outlined the government's legislative program for the coming session.

Most of the Socreds said they believed this would be "the most constructive session" yet held.

Mr. Newton said all of his supporters in the Columbia Valley want the power installation at the Mica Creek Dam to be given to the B.C. Power Commission.

"We do not care who builds the dam as long as the Power Commission has the installation. If we had the Mica Creek Dam, we could build a pulp mill north of Golden which would utilize over-mature timber in the Big Bend area."

Mr. Newton said he will also press for dredging of the Columbia River with a view to re-

claiming 54,000 acres of land in the Columbia Valley which could be used for farming—particularly sugar beet.

DISTRESS AREA

Mr. Richter, from Similkameen which includes part of the Okanagan Valley, will ask that the Distressed Areas Act be extended to cover damage done to the fruit industry during the 1955-56 season.

He will also urge the provincial government to press Ottawa for extension of the federal Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act to cover river control and irrigation in B.C.

Party whip Bert Price will move to get a measure of control on future bingo games. He will suggest the 10 per cent amusement tax be charged on bingo, chiefly so that the government can have some form of gauging the extent of the game in B.C.

Hungarian Relief Fund Tops Quota

TORONTO (CP)—The Canadian Hungarian relief fund announced Tuesday it has topped its national objective of \$500,000 by raising \$512,071.

CCF HITS 'CHRISTMAS GIFTS'

Bennett Wall St. Santa CCF Chief Strachan Claims

VANCOUVER (CP) — CCF provincial leader Robert Strachan said Tuesday night his party will try to stop the Social Credit government from making what he termed "Christmas gifts" of B.C.'s natural resources.

Mr. Strachan told a rally here that Wall-Street circles refer to Premier Bennett as "Santa Claus."



LAND PROBE HEAD

Senator C. G. (Chubby) Power, 69-year-old lawyer and wartime air minister, will head the 26-man Senate Committee to investigate land-use.

The committee was formed on recommendation of Prime Minister St. Laurent who indicated he is particularly concerned about sub-marginal agricultural land.

Sabotage, Spying Alleged

LONDON (UP) — The Soviet government tonight accused the United States of "sending spies and saboteurs" into Russia in a "secret war" against communism.

An official statement issued by the Soviet foreign ministry in Moscow leveled the charges against what it termed the "aggressive quarters of the U.S.A."

Western correspondents in Moscow were summoned to receive the strongly-worded statement from Leonid Ilychev, foreign ministry press chief.

The statement was broadcast by Radio Moscow and monitored in London.

"The sending of spies and saboteurs is known to be a form of struggle used by forces hostile to the U.S.S.R. with the purpose of attaining their anti-popular goals," the statement said.

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"In our times, the aggressive quarters of the U.S.A. are coming out as the inspirers and chief organizers of the so-called secret war against the U.S.S.R. and the other socialist states, against all the sovereign and independent nations," it was quoted.

"For the first time in history they have raised to the level of an official policy subversive activity against countries unsuitable for them, gross interference in the home affairs of nations both big and small," the statement said.

Price Controls Looming, Ike Warns

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower said today the government will have to institute some form of controls if business and labor fail to deal with the problem of inflation adequately on a voluntary basis.

The president, at a press conference, did not specify what type of controls he had in mind.

On the matter of inflation, Eisenhower was reminded that in his January state of the union message he called on both business and labor leaders to co-operate in a voluntary drive to check spiraling prices.

Eisenhower said today that if there is no adequate voluntary effort, and inflation continues, the government would have to move in with some kind of controls.

Ships Jammed In Ice Off Newfoundland

HALIFAX (CP)—The worst February ice conditions in a decade held three ships prisoner off the west coast of Newfoundland today.

The transport department ice-breaker Sauroil, the CNE ferry William Carson and the brand new hydrographic ship Baffin were reported jammed in the Bay of Islands. The Baffin and Carson went there from Halifax to help the Sauroil, trapped for 15 days.

GUNS DRAWN, POLICE TAKE 'WANTED MAN'

TORONTO (CP)—Police with drawn guns today raided a house in suburban Weston and arrested Edwin McDonald, sought for nine months after he jumped \$50,000 bail rather than face trial on narcotics charges.

McDonald, 31, was one of Canada's 10 most-wanted men.

He was captured without a fight by eight RCMP officers and a group of Toronto detectives.

McDonald has been missing since last May when he was due to appear in court here on charges of possessing narcotics for trafficking and conspiracy to possess narcotics.

McDonald is the brother of the notorious Donald (Mickey) McDonald, who escaped from Kingston penitentiary in 1947 with two other men and hasn't been recaptured. Police believe he may be dead. One of the men who escaped with him, Nicholas Minelli, was later captured in



EDWIN McDONALD

California. The other, Ulysses Lauzon, was found slain in a Mississippi swamp.

KILLED ON ICY NEW BRUNSWICK ROAD

Mother 'Knew' Carol Was Dead; Four Teenagers Victims of Crash

FREDERICTON (CP)—Four teenagers, three boys and a girl, were killed Tuesday night when their new car left the road and sheared off a telephone pole near Harvey Station, 25 miles from here.

Two others were seriously injured.

RCMP identified the dead as Carol Ann Brawn, 17; Douglas Deep, 16; Raymond Ferris, 17; and Patson Gale Currie, 16, all of Fredericton.

Injured were Leta Dykeman, 16, and Thomas Meating, Fredericton.

PRAYER FOR TODAY

Our Father, we thank thee that we do not make our way alone through this world. Always underneath and round about us are thy everlasting arms. Faces may change, conditions may alter; but thou art the same, endless in thy pitying grace. May this ageless assurance take fresh possession of us today; through Christ, our Lord, Amen.

U.K. Supports France in UN On Algeria

NEW YORK (CP)—Britain today joined France in opposing any United Nations interference in the Algerian problem.

Allan Noble, British minister of state, told the General Assembly's political committee the Algerian question falls within the domestic jurisdiction of France and the UN has no competence in the matter.

Gulf Ferry Firm Wins Subsidy From Province

The B.C. Cabinet today authorized a grant of \$500 a month to Coast Ferries Ltd., Vancouver, to assist operation of its water transport service between Vancouver and Ganges, Salt Spring Island, with calls at Steveston, Galiano, Mayne, North Pender and Saturna Islands.



RUSSIAN LEADERS GET TOGETHER

Russian Deputy Premier Lazar Kaganovich, right, chats with Georgi Malenkov, ex-premier and present minister of power, before bank of flowers in Moscow Tuesday night during meeting of Moscow construction workers. Watching

proceedings are Communist party secretary Nikita Khrushchev, left, and Premier Nikolai Bulganin. Soviet leaders gathered today in semi-annual session of Supreme Soviet. — (AP wire-photo)

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Whut th' Russians are really mad about is thet th' Yanks hev bin spyin' on th' Russians' spies.

Be a lot o' big shots at th' openin' o' th' House 't'morra. Fifteen, as a matter o' fact.

Soviet Economic Plan Hits Snag

Production Goals for '57 Indicate Original Five-Year Plan Is Failure

NEW YORK (AP)—The Kremlin's production goals for 1957 give a good indication of how greatly the sixth five-year plan over-estimated the Soviet Union's ability to expand output.

Stolen Lumber Case Going To High Court

Romeo (Frenchie) Comeau, 360 Ker, today was committed for trial in a higher court on a charge of retaining stolen property—two loads of lumber valued at \$300.

Magistrate H. C. Hall made the order in city police court following a preliminary hearing Tuesday.

The Crown alleges that Comeau retained the lumber which was stolen from B.C. Forest Products Jan. 11.

GUILTY PLEA

Ronald Hodge, 590 Boleskin, a truck driver for Western Lumber Carriers, has admitted stealing the lumber and will be sentenced later.

Hodge originally pleaded not guilty but changed his plea to guilty Tuesday and defence counsel James Proudfoot said he would ask for a probation report.

Hodge, who was hauling the lumber to Ogden Point Dock for export shipment, admitted taking two loads to the Datzel Box Co. yard where it was left for a week.

Comeau, foreman at the Victoria Retail Lumber Co., is alleged to have picked up the lumber with a carrier and taken it to his firm's yard at 1901 Government.

Detectives Angus Munro and Alex Briggs testified they found that the ends of the largest lumber had been sawn off.

Hodge previously admitted obliterating the B.C. Forest Products markings with black ink.

Hodge was called as a defence witness by Lloyd McKenzie, counsel for Comeau, and said he had never talked directly to Comeau about the lumber.

Hodge received no money for the lumber, court was told.

Six-Months-Old Baby Suffocated by Cat

VENICE, Italy (Reuters)—A six-months-old baby, Milena Marangon, was suffocated here by a cat which climbed into her cradle and curled up asleep on her face.

DUKE SHAVEN CLEAN NOW NEARS QUEEN

GIBRALTAR (Reuters)—The Duke of Edinburgh arrived here today aboard the royal yacht Britannia—minus the beard he had grown during his Commonwealth world tour.

The duke will spend nine days here before going on to Portugal to meet the Queen. The Queen and the duke will spend two days aboard the Britannia before sailing for Lisbon for their three-day state visit, starting Feb. 18.

Farm Hand Committed In B.C. Gun Slaying

LANGLEY, B.C. (CP)—Ernest John Gardiner, 20-year-old Penticton farm hand, will stand trial on a charge of murder in the death Aug. 10 of James Martin, 45.

Martin, formerly of Ontario, was shot at the Sunnymede Farm near here. A nine-year-old boy discovered his body Dec. 27 on the banks of the Nicomekl River.

An autopsy showed Martin had been shot in the head by a .22-calibre rifle.

Gardiner, represented by Dudley Edwards, reserved his defence. Tuesday when deputy magistrate A. E. Roberts ordered him committed for trial at the New Westminster assizes.

Mrs. Louise Moorme, a sister of the accused, said Tuesday Gardiner left a .22-calibre rifle at her Langley home late in October. She said her brother told her he brought the gun from Penticton where he had gone for a holiday.

An RCMP firearms expert testified earlier that this rifle could not have fired the bullet that killed Martin.

A second .22-calibre gun borrowed by the accused from a youth in the Langley district "probably" fired the fatal shot, the expert said. Both guns were entered as exhibits.

Monty Gilchrist, 13, of Victoria, said he saw Gardiner coming from a home near the Sunnymede farm with what

FAMED TENOR John Coates, the English singer who died in 1941, began his career as a choir boy in Yorkshire.

NFLD. COMES IN

Ontario, Quebec Now Hold Fate Of Health Plan

OTTAWA (CP)—Newfoundland's approval of federal hospital insurance proposals was announced in the Commons Tuesday, bringing the federal-provincial plan another step closer to reality.

News of the acceptance by Newfoundland, first provincial Liberal government to fall in line with the federal plan, was given to the House by Health Minister Martin.

The announcement was made as Mr. Martin told of continued talks with Ontario and Manitoba, which have not yet accepted the scheme.

Four provinces are ready to enter the plan under which the central government would pay half the cost of standard-ward hospital care and diagnostic services. The others are British Columbia and Alberta, both with Social Credit governments, and CCF-governed Saskatchewan.

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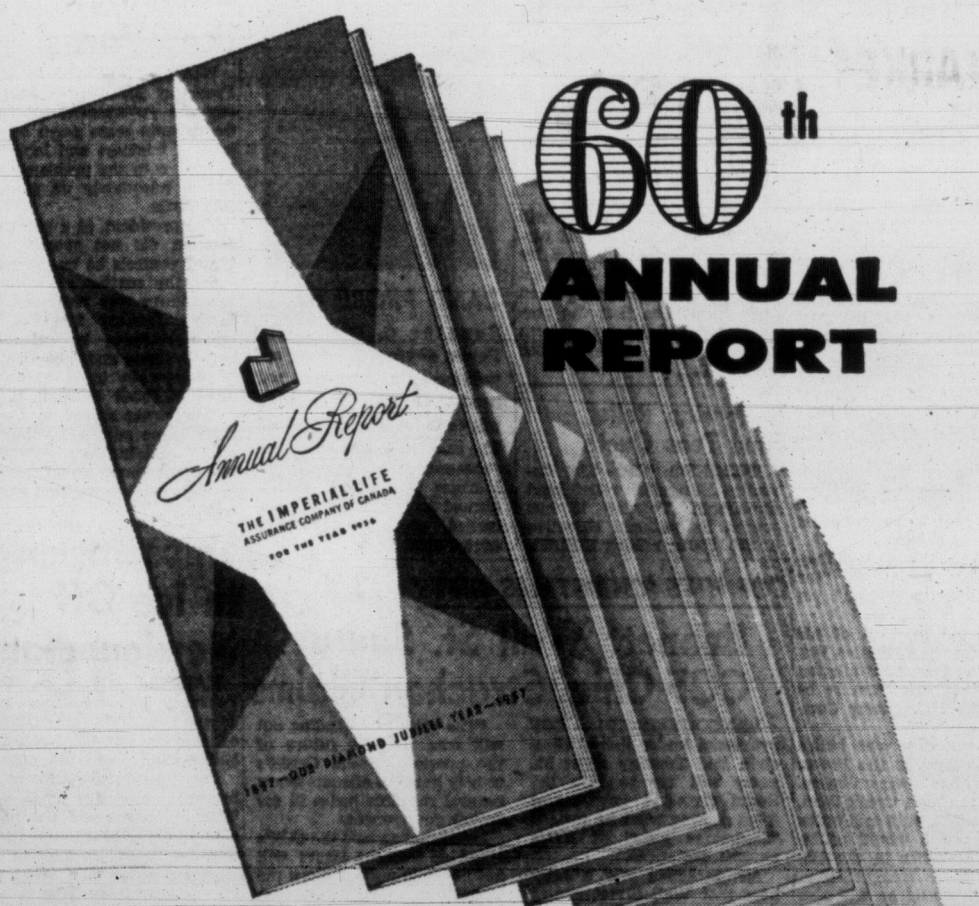
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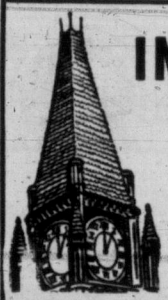
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IN PARLIAMENT

'Windfalls' Will Aid Canada Council Fund

(From Times News Services)

Federal succession duty "windfalls" from the estates of two Canadian multi-millionaires may help finance the Canada Council which Prime Minister St. Laurent hopes will be functioning by March 31.

Mr. St. Laurent said that revenue from the estates of Sir James Dunn and Isaac Walton Killam was one of the "considerations" the government had in mind at the time it decided to recommend establishment of the council.

His hope that the council will be functioning before the end of March also is regarded as further indication that the government's \$100,000,000 contribution will be taken out of surplus revenues for the current fiscal year.

Mr. St. Laurent said succession duties from the estates of Sir James and Mr. Killam could not be considered "recurring amounts." The duties amounted to just under \$100,000,000 and "did provide a sort of windfall

which came, I think, at a most opportune time."

The prime minister spoke on a government resolution preceding introduction of a bill to set up the council. It would get \$50,000,000 as an endowment, with the revenue being used to promote the humanities, social sciences and arts, and another \$50,000,000 to distribute to universities.

Sir James died Jan. 1, 1956. He was the head of Algoma Steel Corp. and controller of Canada Steamship Lines and had many other financial interests.

A former publisher of the old Mail and Empire in Toronto, Mr. Killam died in August, 1955.

Reflected in Government Surplus

Mr. St. Laurent said the succession duties paid so far by the two estates is reflected in government surplus figures.

Mr. Harris budgeted for a surplus of some \$113,000,000 for the year ending March 31. However, it now appears he may actually end up with some \$300,000,000, even after providing \$100,000,000 for the council.

During the debate Rev. E. G. Hansell (SC, Macleod) challenged Mr. St. Laurent to give Canadians a chance to decide by plebiscite whether they want a Canada Council.

Mr. Hansell, president of the Social Credit Association of

Canada, said he doubts the majority of Canadians want \$100,000,000 of their money spent on the council. He proposed that the plebiscite be held in conjunction with the next federal general election, expected in June.

Progressive Conservative Leader John Diefenbaker said it appears the government is "embarrassed" by the budget surplus it will have this year and is using the council to dispose of part of it.

Mr. St. Laurent said the suggestion is "not worthy of the discussion on this Canada Council."

Suez Loan to UN Opposed in Senate

In the Senate, Senator John T. Haig, Opposition leader, opposed a \$1,000,000 Canadian government loan to the United Nations towards clearing the Suez Canal. Premier Nasser of Egypt had "filled the canal with boats and obstructions and now we turn around and spend our money to clear the canal." It was "money down the drain."

If he were in Israel's position, he would "not give in" as the West had been doing all along. The West failed to "realize that when we are dealing with a crook you must treat him as such and keep your guns ready and your powder dry."

Senator J. W. de Farris (L-British Columbia) said he agrees with Israel's stand 100 per cent. Britain had "done one of the finest things that had ever been done" in taking armed action in Egypt.

Senator Farris said he doesn't think President Eisenhower "has played the game with the British Empire."

The Supreme Court of Canada is to play a decisive role in the question of whether the government will launch court prosecution against E. P. Taylor's Canadian Breweries Ltd. on monopoly allegations. Justice Minister Garson said the government's decision will be based in part on the court's judgment in connection with the appeal of a group of fine paper mills against a combines conviction.

The key question on which the court is to decide is whether "substantial elimination of competition constitute injury to the public under the anti-combines legislation."

The government is studying a United Nations request for about 170 additional army personnel including an armored reconnaissance unit, to join the UN Emergency Force, said Defence Minister Campney.

He said the request would involve about 110 men and

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Because of the great amounts of rubble to be cleared away and dangerous walls and overhanging beams which need to be knocked down, disaster crews could not search the wreckage until today.

Because a clothing store employee reacted quickly when he smelled gas a much worse disaster was prevented.

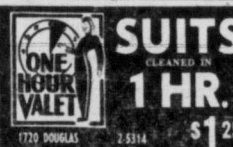
But for that, said Fire Chief Karl Evans, the death toll "could have been a hundred."

Major credit was given to Orville Owen, power company trouble shooter, who sensed the danger, warned persons in the store, then rushed along the

street warning people to "get out."

Mrs. John Duprat, 60, socially prominent wife of a retired grocer, was struck and killed by falling debris. Frank Spina, 48, owner of a shoe repair shop, was crushed to death beneath an automobile.

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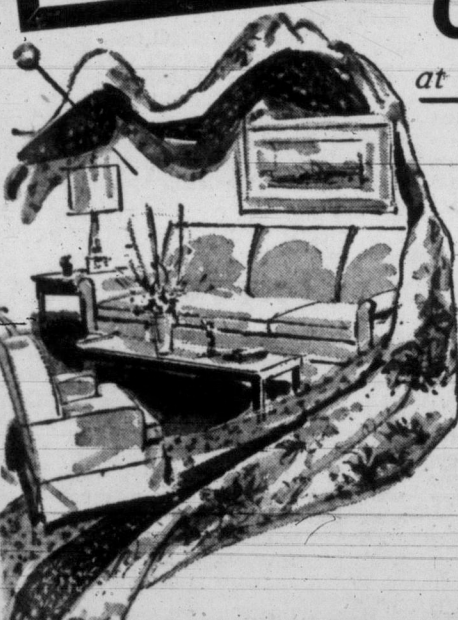
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Why Britain Must Cut

IF THEY WILL EXAMINE A FEW simple figures Canadians should understand why Britain is trying to reduce its defence costs.

Currently Britain spends about 8.2 per cent of its gross national product (its total yearly output of wealth) on its armed services.

According to the report of the Organization for European Economic Co-operation for 1955, the last year of record, Canada was then spending 6.8 per cent of its gross national product on defence. The figure must be lower now because our defence costs have fallen slightly while our gross product has greatly increased.

In any case, Britain spends proportionately more on defence than we do. It also spends more than France (6.6 per cent), or West Germany, Italy, Belgium and Norway (between 3½ and 4½ per cent).

In the Western world only the United States exceeds Britain's defence spending, as a proportion of annual wealth. The American rate, in 1955, represented 10.3 per cent of the gross product. The bill for the defence services is rising this year but so, of course, is the gross product.

There can be no true comparison, by such figures, between the burdens of armament in Britain and the United States. Britain is far poorer than the United States and faces acute economic difficulties

while the United States floats, on the tide of a boom. So does Canada.

If Britain cut its defence spending to the Canadian or French standard it could save between \$700 millions and \$800 millions a year. This money—or rather the materials and manpower that it represents—could be invested in productive enterprise or consumer goods.

Undoubtedly some proposal of that sort, or perhaps an even larger defence cut, recently was brought by Mr. Duncan Sandys, the British defence minister, to Washington. It is reliably reported in London that he has proposed a scheme of economy which would greatly aid Britain without seriously reducing the free world's defences.

At the moment one of the largest drains on Britain's resources is the huge cost of military research, particularly in the field of guided missiles. Some of this work apparently is duplicated in the United States.

What Mr. Sandys is supposed to have asked in Washington is that these efforts be pooled more effectively and duplication ended; and, if possible, that the United States supply Britain with such things as guided missiles free or at the lowest possible cost. A favorable American reply would have great political as well as economic importance. It would do much to heal the breach of Suez.

One Man's Meat

WHILE THE KASHMIR DISPUTE between India and Pakistan is in no sense a simple one, the application of a simple principle—the principle of self-determination—would appear to offer an easy and just solution.

A plebiscite by the population concerned, to decide whether it would join India or Pakistan, would settle the issue on a basis which has become recognized in many similar controversies during the past few years. It is a solution that has been advocated by the United Nations since 1947.

Pakistan is willing to hold the plebiscite; India is not. The reason, of course, is obvious. Three-quarters of the four million people of Kashmir are Moslems, and as such would vote overwhelmingly for union with Moslem Pakistan.

India's reluctance to put the question to a vote is thus understandable, but that does not make it commendable.

Premier Nehru has become known throughout the world as a man of peace and forbearance—at least these are the qualities he enjoins others to cultivate. Yet in the Kashmir case he has abandoned peace and compromise. He has sent troops into the area, he has answered Pakistani

charges with even more aggressive counter-charges.

Finally, as things appeared to be coming to a head in the United Nations, both as to holding a plebiscite and having U.N. forces keep the peace in the territory under dispute, Mr. Nehru "pulled a fast one."

On Jan. 26 at New Delhi, Kashmir was officially declared to be a part of India—although Pakistani troops still hold one-third of the 82,000-square-mile state.

The United Nations Security Council earlier had voted by 10-0 to freeze the Kashmir situation until a plebiscite could be held. The U.N. therefore refuses to be bound by the present annexation by India.

Perhaps it is the fact that Kashmir is his birthplace that drives Mr. Nehru to such lengths. But in the quarrel over the relatively tiny principality he has shown to the world that lofty principles are much more applicable to the other fellow's problem than to one's own.

At comparatively small cost, Mr. Nehru might have set an example for the rest of the world that would have boosted his global influence immeasurably. As it is, he has lost moral prestige, and set up a situation that will continue to provide trouble and may, in the end, lose him Kashmir.

Now for the Proof of Tory Peace

BRITISH COLUMBIANS WILL note with interest statements by leading Conservatives that the reconciliation between provincial and federal wings has been completed. They will also wait to see events prove the strength of these assertions and the claim by Mr. Leon Laidner that "We have been revitalized... there is a terrific amount of new interest and voluntary support."

A revival of the Conservative Party is important far beyond partisan lines. In the national field the Conservatives have shown themselves the only alternative to the present administration. Neither CCF nor Social Credit has support across the country sufficient to form a government. Hence, if the two-party system is to be maintained in essence, the Conservatives must have strength. Otherwise the process of

splintering would bring with it the fundamental weaknesses evident where a multiplicity of parties destroys national cohesion.

But if federal and provincial Conservatives have resolved their differences in British Columbia, the reunification of the family was not a significant factor in the last B.C. election. The party failed to elect a single member, failed to attract public support for many vigorous young candidates.

Perhaps that was a lingering aftermath of the sorry domestic conditions which prevailed in the "house divided" of British Columbia party members. It remains to be seen, however, despite the flutterings of the intra-party peace dove, whether Tories in this province can convalesce politically or still have to await the major miracle of a resurrection.

Our People Are Reading

THE VICTORIA PUBLIC LIBRARY's circulation figures for 1956 make interesting reading again. Once more the annual totals for book distribution are up in every municipality served.

However much increased population may have influenced these figures, it is apparent that one of the community's best educative and entertainment agencies is meeting the requirements of the day.

This is a happy augury for future negotiations between parts of the

Greater Victoria family on joint operation of the library. The institution is filling a very evident need for reading material among our citizens. By votes in Saanich and Central Saanich last December, residents demonstrated their appreciation, and the circulation figures indicate that this is no mere reflection of an academic interest.

Victoria, Oak Bay, Saanich, Esquimalt and Central Saanich are getting what they pay for—and at bargain rates when the material available to them is considered.

Trouble in the Harem



UNDER FIRE

By B. A. TOBIN

When Equals Confer

THE man strode briskly into the big, galleried room. He wore a new light grey suit with a blue tie. His complexion was ruddy; the strong overhead lights gleamed on his almost-bald head. He stood behind a desk, a great seal on the wall behind him, a flag beside him. He folded his arms, faced his audience, and released the wide smile that has become so familiar on the front pages and the news reels. He mentioned that he had been absent for a while, and wondered if there might be some questions somebody wanted to ask him. There was a laugh—and President Eisenhower's press conference was on.



Tobin

It was the first time in two months that the usual weekly meeting had been held, and this may have accounted for a larger-than-usual gathering. With the out-of-town visitors in the gallery, of whom I was one, there were 265 reporters present, representing the press agencies, the major newspapers of the United States, and many foreign publications.

Competition

A dozen men sprang to their feet as each question was answered by the President, hoping to catch his eye. Twice he accepted queries from women reporters. The answers came quickly, firmly and without a falter, with almost military briskness. Only once did he turn to press secretary James Hagerty for confirmation of a reply.

If Mr. Eisenhower is a sick man, as some reports suggest, he certainly did a masterly job of covering it up. He appeared 15 years younger than his nearly 67 years and looked as though he'd never been ill in his life.

Indeed, he had the same efficient manner—a habit of presenting his ideas in concise, forthright words that stopped as soon as his thought was completed—that I had noted eleven years before. That had been in Toronto, shortly after the war, when General Eisenhower came to receive an honorary degree from the University, and gave a press interview to half a dozen of us in the Royal York Hotel.

He seems to have lost none of that confident aura in the ensuing decade of high politics and diplomatic doings.

Democracy

Now, in what Washingtonians call "the old State Building" just across a quiet street from the White House grounds, the official stenographers scribbled their hieroglyphics, the keys of the steno machines flicked steadily under nimble fingers, the tape recorders whirled softly in a corner, the batteries

of photographers' lights brought brilliance to every detail of the scene.

It was a view of democracy in action that must astound official visitors from totalitarian lands, an exhibition of easy familiarity and mutual respect between ruler and ruled that must be incredible to denizens of the so-called workers' paradises.

The questions came thick and fast, and soon the time was up. Merriman Smith, the United Press man who is the dean of the White House correspondents, voiced the formal "Thank you, Mr. President." It terminates all the interviews, and dashed for the phone booths outside in the hall pursued by a solid scrum of deadline beaters.

The President grinned and walked quickly to a side door, accompanied by his aides. It seemed to the visitors that, squeezed dry of news, he was abruptly abandoned by his audience, to be courted again only a week hence when he would again subject himself to the grilling.

Conference

The routine press conference by a head of state, who is also head of the Government, is entirely an American phenomenon. Even Canada's Government leader—near as we approach the general American atmosphere in our relations between Government and public—does not present himself for regular conferences with the newspapers.

One cannot imagine Sir Anthony Eden, or Prime Minister Macmillan voluntarily undergoing such an ordeal. The very suggestion would have precipitated Sir Winston into a flood of pithy comments.

But it is well that the custom, carefully nurtured by President Roosevelt, has become solidly established. The head of the United States Government, unlike most parliamentary leaders, does not go before the elected representatives of the people and answer questions on policy. But a liaison very important to the democratic system would be lost if there were no regular contacts with the public through one group of representatives or another—and the Fourth Estate has fulfilled this function very well.

MARKED for READING

ESKIMOS HAVE MORE WORDS FOR IT

The Eskimo language is a very wonderful language, even more pure than the ancient Greek, and it has a very large vocabulary. They say the average Englishman carries between four and six thousand words as the general vocabulary that he uses. The Eskimos carry, I would say, hundreds of thousands of words.

—The Reverend Donald Whitbread, whose parish is in Northern Canada.

DENNIS THE MENACE



"I WAS JUST SITTING THERE, KEEPIN' CLEAN. WHEN THIS KID SAYS, 'HI, GISSY!'"

From Our Files

Feb. 6, 1897—Parliamentary to the opening of the legislature on Monday, all types of lobbyists have arrived here, including townsite incorporators, railway characters, mining men and seekers after water power privileges.

Feb. 6, 1917—Mrs. Henry Norman presided over a meeting of 100 women called in the Arcade Building to form a city women's Liberal organization.

Feb. 6, 1937—The 98-day U.S. maritime strike was settled yesterday. Costs of the stoppage are estimated at \$700,000,000 and 40,000 workers were affected.

As Our Readers See It

'Justice for Widows'

It was with considerable interest that I read on Monday night your editorial 'Justice for Widows' in which you advocate the revision of the Succession Duty Act.

The Canadian Committee on the Status of Women has been responsible for much research and endeavour to this end, and many women's organizations have co-operated, among them the Women's Institutes of British Columbia. The need for revision of the Act has been a matter of concern to us for over two years since the Federal Government promised amendments to it, and I believe all B.C.'s Federal Members have been contacted and pressed for their support if and when amendments or discussion of revision should reach the floor of the House.

However, in a recent letter from a member of parliament the District Board of the South Vancouver Island Institutes has learned that in the Throne Speech no direct mention was made that the Government was prepared to submit any amendments for revision of the Succession Duty Act during the present session.

It would seem that presentations must be more forcefully made if they are to be effective. If there are women's organizations that have not yet added their voices I would suggest they do so at once by writing to the Minister of Finance himself, and to the member of parliament for their particular constituency, urging that this revision which was promised in 1954, mentioned in the Throne Speech last year but not this, be reported upon immediately.

Incidentally "Women under the Law" can be a fascinating study. There are enough oddities and discriminations in the B.C. laws to make any woman's hair stand on end! The thing is, do enough of us care enough?

(MRS. E. G.) HAZEL M. WOODWARD, President, District Board of South Vancouver Island Women's Institutes and Publicity Convener for Women's Institutes of B.C.

Fantastic

In your issue of Feb. 1, there is a letter by "Truly Canadian," containing fantastic statements. He states that Britain and France were wrong in their Suez policy, etc., and that Britain in her humiliation would like to thrust the blame on the U.S.

The truth is that Britain and France, with great courage and foresight, stepped in at a very critical moment, and would have achieved all their objectives if it had not been for one of the greatest betrayals in history by the hypocritical attitude of the United States.

It is only necessary to refer to articles by some impartial Americans, such as the Alsop Brothers, Walter Lippmann, etc. In a report by the American reporter, Harsch, he goes on to say "It will be a miracle if England ever forgives us. Never in the history of the world has a nation, much less an ally, been treated as badly as we have treated England."

"Truly Canadian" would have us believe that the Commonwealth was saved by the courtesy and wisdom of St. Laurent, Pearson and the United States. This of course is untrue.

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Posties' Lot

The winter wind blows swift and cold And you're snug inside, and cosy Do you ever think of the postie's lot? It's anything but rosy!

If we all dug in and cleaned those walks And steps, it's sure surprising We'd help ourselves and others too, And keep our posties smiling.

Now come on folks, you want your mail He tries to be obliging. But he'll break his silly neck you know On sidewalks made for sliding!

He's made of bones and stuff, you know Has wives and kiddies too, The liniment, the aches and groans... They make us all so blue.

The weather, to be sure is rough, He finds the going very tough, So friends, you help him make his way So he'll be here to earn his pay!

'A POSTMAN'S WIFE'

Questions

As a Canadian born who is willing to sign his name may I ask "Truly Canadian" a few questions?

Was it primarily against Egypt that Britain and France took action?

Were the huge stores of Russian arms found on Egyptian soil intended for Egyptian troops who are well known to be the worst soldiers in the world?

Has Russia, when using methods such as "infiltration" and "volunteers," ever been prevented from gaining her ends by the United Nations?

If France and Britain had hesitated, would a flood of Russian volunteers not have flowed into the Middle East to catch up with their arms?

Would the Arab Nations not today be enjoying the "freedom" that Hungary enjoys?

Can Western Europe stand with the Middle East in Russian hands?

Could this continent survive if Western Europe falls?

Has the condemnation of Britain and France been either wise or fair?

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FROM WASHINGTON

By STEWART ALSOP

The Leave-Takers

TWO of the three most powerful cabinet posts—treasury and defence—will almost certainly be vacated this year, probably by mid-summer. Washington's great current mystery is whether the third and most important post—the secretary of state—will also be vacated in the near future. Both Secretary of Defence Charles E. Wilson and Secretary of the Treasury George M. Humphrey have been behaving recently a little like employees who know they are leaving soon anyway. Departing employees don't have to worry about what the boss thinks—the boss in the case of a top public official being the president, the Congress, and the public all wrapped up in one.

Secretary Wilson certainly knew that his outburst about the National Guard would really stir up the animals. But he said it anyway, and he has stuck to his guns, because he thought he was right—and as far as the totally inadequate training of the Guard is concerned, he was certainly dead right.

Neither Humphrey nor Wilson have made any bones about their intense eagerness to get out of Washington for good, and soon. To be sure, the prospect of leaving a major cabinet post, with all its immense power and prestige, tends to seem less pleasant as the moment of departure approaches.

If the president of the United States really puts on the heat, moreover, it is difficult to resist him. But the betting is high that both Humphrey and Wilson will have bowed out in a few months.

After his cancer operation, the betting was also high that Secretary of State John Foster Dulles would leave at about the same time, making a clean sweep of

the three top posts. The date usually mentioned was June 30. That date is still mentioned, but with less assurance than formerly.

For one thing, Secretary Dulles appears to have recovered magnificently, and he obviously loves the job he has dreamed of holding since he was a very young man. More important, for the first time in his career as secretary, Dulles has been subjected to a really powerful attack from the Democrats.

The attack has rallied the indignant president to his side, just as President Truman rallied to the side of Dean Acheson when he became the chief Republican target. The very violence of the Republican attack tended to freeze Acheson in his post. The much less ferocious Democratic attack may well have the same effect in the case of Dulles.

Significant Differences

If Dulles wants to stay on indefinitely, and if the president wants to keep him on indefinitely, the Democrats cannot possibly force him out, any more than the Republicans forced Acheson out. Yet there is a significant difference, quite apart from the question of health, between the situation of Acheson and that of Dulles.

Dulles took office determined to protect his rear, which Acheson had so signally failed to do. Acheson, when he became secretary, sometimes seemed to go out of his way to alienate the key figures on Capitol Hill, and the press as well. Dulles has made Herculean efforts to avoid doing so, which is one reason why, until very recently, he has been almost immune to the kind of attack which is the usual lot of secretaries of state.

Natural Clients

But while protecting his rear, Secretary Dulles has failed, as it were, to protect his front. The United States' major allies are, after all, the natural clients of a secretary of state. And Dulles is now almost universally distrusted and disliked abroad, especially in Britain and France. This is not a carping criticism of Dulles. It is a simple statement of plain fact, which can be verified by any objective foreign observer.

A secretary of state who is disliked and distrusted by the country's major allies cannot, in the nature of things, be an effective secretary of state. This is why it is still a reasonable guess that, in time, Dulles will bow out, like Humphrey and Wilson, and there will thus be a clear sweep at the top level of the Eisenhower administration before the year is out. (1957, New York Herald Tribune, Inc.)

Strange Commonwealth

NEW YORK—The Commonwealth, like the elephant, is many things to many men, but the important thing is that it is there. It is probably the organization (if it is an organization) least understood in today's world, even by the people who belong to it. Its deepest mysteries are known only to the statesmen of the member countries, for when they meet they do so privately and they do not disclose the proceedings even to their own people.



Lynch

People who are not members view it as everything from an imperialist throw-back comprised of "subjects" of England and paying taxes to London, to a grouping of nations that exists only on paper and may not do even that for very long. (If the reader doubts that bit about taxes, be it known that the writer's children have been taught in the public schools of New Jersey that Canadians pay taxes to London. Despite a six-year campaign on our part to erase this impression on the part of faculty members, it persists, even though their own textbooks tell them better.)

The United Nations is not perhaps the best place from which to attempt a look at the Commonwealth, since here one is not in direct touch with the intangibles that make up so much of the Commonwealth idea. The places for that are London, Ottawa, Canberra, Wellington, and in a somewhat different sense New Delhi, Karachi, Colombo or Capetown.

NO COHESIVE GROUP

Yet the Commonwealth as such has a place here, for all of its members are also members of the United Nations. They are anything but a cohesive group here, and that of course is mystery number one about the Commonwealth. In one of the debates during this general assembly, Mr. Krishna Menon of India was moved to state that the mysteries of Commonwealth membership "are understood by nobody else—only we (the members) understand them." Mr. Menon might have added that only he understands his own understanding of them.

This same Mr. Menon at this same assembly

session has delivered bitter harangues aimed at the United Kingdom (over Suez), at South Africa (over the treatment of her Indian-minority) and at Pakistan (over Kashmir).

This assembly has seen Canada veer away from the United Kingdom position on a major question of world policy, Suez. It has seen South Africa, smarting under attacks by India and what she considers United Nations interference in her internal affairs, walk out of the General Assembly. And it has seen India and Pakistan snarling at one another over Kashmir.

Seeing all this, a casual observer would not be inclined to put much stock in the Commonwealth, either as a political or a fraternal organization. He would be entitled to question that anything as subtle as the Commonwealth relationship can endure amid the stresses and strains of the day, and amid so many disputes in which Commonwealth members take opposite sides.

A gathering of Commonwealth delegates here last week shed some interesting light on this matter—it was one of those strictly informal and off-the-record Commonwealth get-togethers that do not seek to solve anything. Functions of this sort take place occasionally when Commonwealth people find themselves in the same neighborhood.

GOOD FELLOWSHIP

We do not propose to risk being called a bouncer by disclosing what transpired at the gathering here last week, but we think it not out of place to describe the mood that prevailed. It was, quite simply, a mood of good fellowship created by people who obviously have a good deal in common.

The conversation was not confined to pleasantries—there were barbed remarks, taunts, baiting of one man by another. But it was all done with a twinkle in the eye.

But the abiding impression was that even if the Commonwealth had no significance beyond social meetings—such as the one we so cautiously describe, it represents an oasis of hope in a troubled and divided world. It does go beyond such things, of course—it has overtones that embrace everything from loyalties and emotions to parliamentary government and preferential tariffs.

LONDON LETTER

By WALLACE REYBURN

Small Towns Different

LONDON—A reader, Gertrude Webb, is a good publicist for her home town—Midland. Ont. Over the festive season she sent me greetings and accompanied them with folders about "The Gateway to the 30,000 Islands of the Georgian Bay," which I should think qualifies as the most laborious slogan of any town.

By coincidence, I have reached me when I was spending a couple of days in an English small town—Salcombe, in Devon. Midland and Salcombe are similar in that both of them are resort towns by the water, but there the similarity comes to an abrupt end.

The Ontario small town has a personality all its own. I'm not a great authority on small towns, whether in Ontario or anywhere else in the world, for I have never lived in one. My wife is more familiar with them, having been brought up in Port Elgin and Meaford, where her uncle—Ewart Munro—ran the local paper.

I have always been a city dweller, partly by choice and partly because my work has taken me to big cities. But whenever I stay in a small town I've always found it interesting, mainly, I suppose, because it is so different from city life, and I always wonder what

it would have been like to be born and grow up in a small town.

These pictures of Midland seem so typical, much more so because I've been away from Canada for a number of years. The wide main street, flanked by two-storey shopfronts, where on evenings or the weekend rows of cars are parked at the curbs as people in from the farms sit and watch this little bit of the world go by... cafes with cubicles... the ice cream parlor, focal point of the youth and girls of the town... the summer cottages and camps by the nearby lake, where the placid water laps on the shore.

Salcombe, by contrast, has the ocean—so much more exciting and varied in its mood than lake water. Its main street is narrow and winding and cars have a job passing each other. There are five pubs, which are used without disapproval, except for local wives getting jealous of the barmaid at the Fortesque—Stella, the femme fatale of Salcombe.

And, perched on the steep slopes of farmland that go right down to the sea, Salcombe has something which it is not usual to ascribe to the Ontario small town—charm.

It also seems to have climate. Reader Gertrude Webb's letter told of "lots of snow and cold" in Midland. I read it sitting in the warm sun in my shirt-sleeves on a motor launch as we explored the inlets of the Salcombe estuary. Not bad for midwinter.

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD

Sunshine, 1957 102.4 hrs.

Last year 95.2 hrs.

Precip. to date 3.65 hrs.

Year year 3.08 hrs.

SYNOPSIS—Cold air still covers the province but it has become more shallow with moist Pacific air entering at higher levels. This has brought considerable cloudiness to the province that kept temperatures at more moderate levels overnight.

A low pressure area in the Gulf of Alaska is gaining some strength and will move southward down the coast. This will bring light precipitation mainly to coastal districts late today and overnight and will be followed by slight improvement in weather conditions Thursday.

PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE

9 A.M. FORECASTS

Valid until midnight Thursday

Victoria: Cloudy today with a few showers tonight. Cloudy Thursday with sunny periods in the afternoon. Not much change in temperature. Winds light today, northerly 15 on Thursday. Low tonight and high Thursday 33 and 38.

Vancouver—Georgia Strait: Cloudy with a few wet snow flurries today, becoming more frequent tonight. Cloudy Thursday with occasional sunny periods in the afternoon. Not much change in temperature. Winds light today, northerly 15 on Thursday. Low tonight and high Thursday at Vancouver 30 and 37; Nanaimo 27 and 37.

West Coast: Variable cloudiness today, becoming mostly overcast this afternoon with occasional showers tonight. Mostly cloudy Thursday. Winds light. Low tonight and high Thursday at Estevan Point 32 and 42.

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CRASH REPORT Explained—'Aerobatics'

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Home Garden

By Hilda Beastall

Seedling Watering Precarious Task

Even though snow is falling at the time of writing, it is a soft wet snow reminiscent of the last snow of the season.

The time is getting near when many of us will be picking out seedlings of flowers and vegetables.

During the month of February, growth of plants under glass is gradually speeding up, though it is slow in comparison to March. It is now that we must watch one of the more important phases of picking out—the amount of water needed afterwards by the seedlings.

For instance, the seedlings from the few tomato seeds sown before the New Year have been making satisfactory progress. They were pricked out two weeks ago into three-inch pots and kept on the dry side.

BIT OF WATER

The cold spell happens to have coincided with this period, and I have given the little plants a mere dribble of water on the days when the top soil appeared dry, instead of the usual thorough soaking at intervals.

Although the temperature never

rose above 58 degrees Fahrenheit, except in brief periods of sunshine, and was as low as 40 on cold nights, the seedlings have never shown any sign of suffering. They have a good position in light, and in about ten days time will be ready for the shift into their final eight-inch pots.

Later in the season, when growth is much more rapid, almost all kinds of seedlings may be pricked out directly into large pots, if pot culture is the aim.

When pricking out into boxes or flats of prepared soil during this period of comparatively slow growth, the same care must be taken not to have the soil too wet.

There is a reason why standard flats are only three inches deep—the same depth as a three-inch pot. That depth seems to be ideal for the greatest number of plants likely to be grown from seed.

Again, with the flats, avoid too damp a soil until the seedlings have taken hold and are making top growth.

B.C. Wins Right To File Appeal On Freight Rates

The Supreme Court of Canada has granted British Columbia leave to appeal a recent decision of the board of transport commissioners on freight rates. Agriculture Minister Ralph Chetwynd announced Wednesday.

Earlier, the board ruled against B.C.'s application for a reduction in freight rates on domestic grain to the level of the export rate.

Mr. Chetwynd said the application for leave to appeal the board's ruling was argued successfully in Ottawa by C. W. Brazier, QC, provincial freight rate counsel.

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DENTAL HEALTH WEEK

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This week is being observed across Canada as Dental Health Week. In co-operation with the Victoria and District Dental Society The Times today presents the fourth in a series of six articles designed to help parents guard against dental disease in their children.

Flouridation of public water supplies is now a routine procedure in nearly 1,300 communities and serves over 28,000,000 persons.

According to the nation's top health authorities, the evidence is conclusive that flouridation is an effective and safe procedure for substantial reduction of dental decay.

"What was a hope of a generation ago is now a fact of preventive dentistry," the American Dental Association has reported.

The emergence of the public health program is backed by nearly 50 years of research. Among the latest of hundreds of studies are flouridation tests set up in three North American cities in 1945—Newburgh, N.Y., Grand Rapids, Mich., and Brantford, Ont.

After 10 years of observation, it was found that dental decay was reduced up to an average of 60 per cent among children in the three cities.

"The means now exist for the most universal of diseases—dental decay—to be brought under a large measure of control," a public health official has said.

"It is not unlikely that in the foreseeable future, a disease that has plagued mankind for centuries will be relegated to a minor status."

Macmillan Praises Ike's Mid-East Effort

LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Harold Macmillan Tuesday praised President Eisenhower's Middle East Doctrine.

"The proposals in President Eisenhower's statement are, in the first instance, designed to provide a legislative basis for future action," the prime minister said.

In areas where flouridation is lacking, a certain amount of protection can be given to the teeth by what is known as topical application of sodium fluoride.

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The driver turned and eyed the conductor.

"Ring the bell," shouted the driver in a burst of exasperation.

ACROSS THE PROVINCE

PGE Trains Rock Houses, Owners Say

(From CP Dispatches)

WEST VANCOUVER — Taxpayers with grievances against the Pacific Great Eastern Railway have the biggest number of 27 appeals against 1957 tax assessments now being heard here.

When the assessment court of revision opened Monday, L. M. Wiggins, speaking for four home-owners along the PGE's right-of-way, said, "Vibrations of the night freight rolling through rocks our houses."

A. C. Lord complained that PGE trains whistle "long and loud."

James Gardiner, municipal assessor, told the court Mr. Lord went to see officials of the railway. "But he got the brush-off. Since then they seem to blow the whistle twice as loud."

Another resident asked: "How can you honestly increase our taxes with that awful PGE howling past the back door?"

WOODWORKERS JOIN IWA

VANCOUVER — After an inter-union struggle that lasted a year, members of B.C. Woodworkers' Union, formerly chartered independently by the old Canadian Congress of Labor, have voted 339 to 146 to join the International Woodworkers of America.

METERS RUNNING WILD

RICHMOND — This municipal council will investigate other means of heating two public works buildings because natural gas "costs too much," B.C. Electric Co. officials Tuesday termed incorrect "a council charge that air in natural gas lines 'makes meters run wild.'"

HUGE DEFICIT SEEN

NORTH VANCOUVER — Alderman Derrick Humphreys says that at its increasing rate of revenue loss, the city-owned ferry system could wind up with a \$100,000 deficit this year.

FISHERMEN PLEASED

VANCOUVER — The United Fishermen and Allied Workers' Union (Ind.) Tuesday greeted the Ottawa announcement of an unemployment insurance plan for fishermen as "something we have been fighting for the last 10 years."

MAN FOUND DEAD

TRAIL — The body of a middle-aged man was found on the bank of the Columbia River here Tuesday afternoon by a group of children. Police are withholding identification pending the notification of next of kin.

GOOD SIGN

VANCOUVER — Bruce Harrington, 13, who has been in a coma at Vancouver General Hospital for 51 days, was heard to whisper Tuesday and hospital authorities said he may be awakening. He has been unconscious since a car knocked him from his bicycle Dec. 16.

FARMS TOO SMALL

OSOYOOS — A University of B.C. economist, Elmer Menzie, says individual farms in the interior of the province are too small and are unable to compete economically with larger acreages and their special machinery.

BARKEEPS VOTE TO STRIKE

PRINCE RUPERT — City bartenders have unanimously voted to go on strike for higher wages. The strike vote followed the Prince Rupert Hotel Association's rejection of a conciliation board's award which would have given the bartenders a 15 per cent hike, their first wage increase in four years.

BODY FOUND

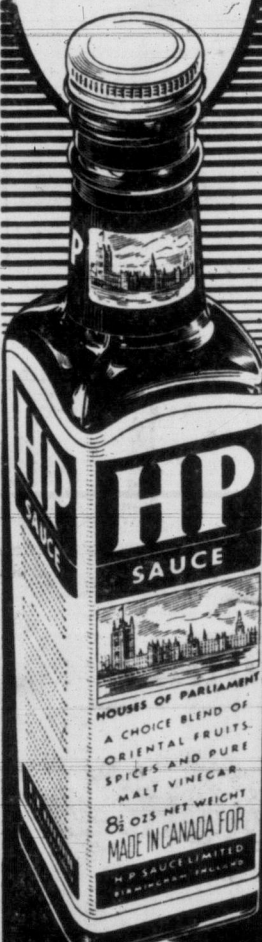
VANCOUVER — A body, believed to have been in the water for two or three weeks, was recovered from Burrard Inlet late Tuesday.

FACES MURDER CHARGE

LANGLEY — Ernest John Gardiner, 20, of Penticton, was committed Tuesday for assize court trial at New Westminster following a three-day preliminary hearing here on a murder charge.

PINNED BY SHED

NEWTON — A 63-year-old man, Alex Podrydallo, was critically injured here when the shed he was working on collapsed and pinned him to the ground.

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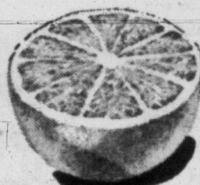
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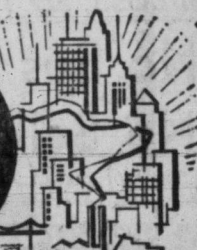
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Chronic Care Plan Obstacles Cleared Away Soon, Says Martin

The B.C. government will clear away "legislative and legal obstacles" to its proposed chronic care program during the coming session, Health Minister Eric Martin said Tuesday.

"After the session, we can proceed hand in hand with those communities which are anxious to construct chronic care facilities," he added.

"So far we have been concerned with the means by which this program can be implemented."

THIS SESSION

Mr. Martin said legislation will be introduced at the coming session amending the present Health Act to permit introduction of the plan, which is de-

signed to extend hospital insurance coverage to persons suffering from chronic ailments.

150 PAINTINGS

V.I. Show At Gallery April 9

The seventh annual Vancouver Island jury exhibition of paintings will open in the Art Gallery here for a three-week showing starting April 9.

More than 150 paintings from art clubs and individuals throughout the Island will be on display.

Entry deadline is March 7, and submissions must not have been on public display in Victoria before.

The jury will consist of Dr. Millard Rogers, assistant director, Seattle Art Museum; University of British Columbia teacher and painter, Gordon Smith and one other to be announced later.

REVELSTOCK WINNER

Results of the balloting by gallery viewers of the recently ended exhibition of paintings from 21 clubs throughout B.C. have just been completed, with a Revelstoke painter, Sophia Atkinson, gaining the public choice with "Icebox."

Best groups of paintings, in order of preference, were the Revelstoke group; Saanich Peninsula Art Centre, and Prince Rupert Art Club (tied); Nanaimo, Victoria Sketch Club, and the Crofton Art Group.

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ated that more than 1,400 extra chronic and convalescent beds will be needed to put the plan into effect.

He stated that the George Road Hospital and the Queen Alexandra Solarium will be among the first to be included.

PTA ACTIVITIES

New Bursary Plan Finances To Get Study

Financing of bursaries for students entering first year college of education at Victoria College, or UBC will be discussed this month at Victoria and district high school PTA meetings.

The bursaries will be presented to deserving students of the six local high schools by the Parent-Teacher Council.

PTA recommendations will be heard at PT council meeting Feb. 25, and a bursary committee will be appointed.

Correct date of Frank Hobbs PTA Founders' Night is tonight at 8, instead of Saturday, Feb. 16, as originally stated.

VANCOUVER — The worst epidemic of measles (700 cases) in several years is sweeping through Vancouver but officials aren't worried. Dr. Reba Willis, director of school medical services, said that "children have to get measles some time."

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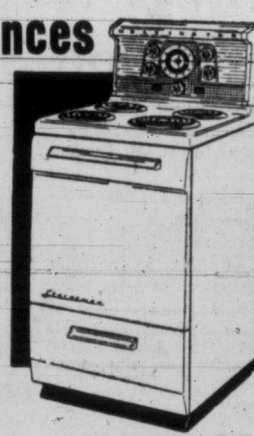
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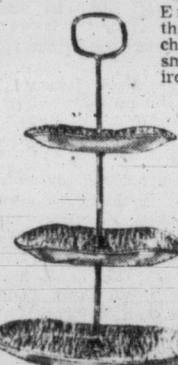
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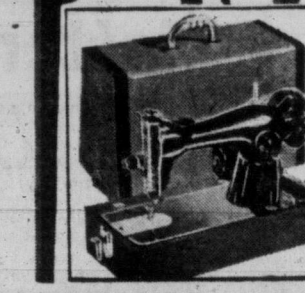
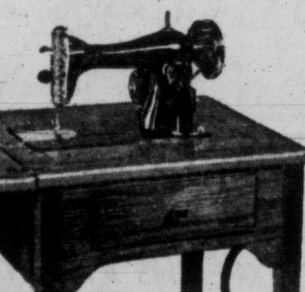
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HOOP TOURNEY DRAW MADE

Pairings for the preliminary games in Friday night's inter-scholastic basketball tournament were made Tuesday night with the Times Trophy, to be awarded to the tourney winner, used as the traditional "barrel." When the draw was completed by, left to right, Lt. Herb Addison, Royal Roads sports officer; Victoria High School student council president Peggy Standen, and Don Smythe, Vic High director of athletics, Royal Roads was matched with Oak Bay in the first game and defending champion Vic High against Victoria College in the second game.—(Photo by Irving Strickland)

Eight-City Major Loop Predicted for Bowlers

By JACK CUDDY
NEW YORK (UP)—Billy Welu, the world's outstanding tall-man bowler, predicted today the nation will have major league pin toppling by 1960 "like in baseball and football."

Welu of Houston, Tex., said negotiations are progressing toward a league of major clubs that will include at least eight cities and have an eight-month season from September through April.

The dark-haired Texan, standing six feet four and one-half, named the cities that probably will have representation in the circuit. They are New York, Chicago, Detroit, St. Louis, Milwaukee, Los Angeles, Cleveland and Philadelphia.

TWO DIVISIONS

"It is expected that the league will be divided into eastern and western divisions," he explained.

Big Billy, who won the National doubles title with Don McLaren in 1954 and who has been a member of bowling's all-America team for the past two years, said several developments in the sport have set the stage for major league alley competition. They are:

(1) The remarkable boom of the sport as a television attraction during the past two years has caused big-time sponsors, particularly in the beer industry, to seek major league competition that can be televised nationally on a regular schedule.

(2) The refinement and modernization of the nation's 15,000 bowling establishments that followed the general adoption of automatic pin-spotting machines to replace pin boys.

(3) The tremendous enthusiasm for bowling by women and girls during the past five years have made it America's biggest participation sport, with an estimated 30,000,000 persons rolling the balls each year.

(4) Because of the unprecedented kiegling boom, it is now possible for professional bowlers to concentrate on the sport and earn from \$5,000 to \$45,000 a year in competition.

Welu, one of the few tall men who ever became a bowler, is a member of the St. Louis Budweisers, winners of the American Bowling Congress national high series award for 1954-55 and 1955-56. At 25, his lifetime average in team competition is 212.

EIGHT 300 GAMES

He has rolled eight 300 games and three 800 series. He had a high series of 822. His highest sanctioned game was 299 and his highest sanctioned series is 779.

Why is it that few tall men are good bowlers, he was asked. "Because their center of gravity is so high above the alley, and they have to develop a modified technique to be as good as shorter men," he said. "That takes a knowledge of the technique and plenty of practice."

Does a professional bowler have to train and keep in good physical condition like other pro athletes?

"He certainly does. I watch my diet closely to avoid extra weight. I try to keep at 225 pounds, my best competitive weight. And I try to get in at least an hour of practice every day."

Are the top bowlers of today better generally than the high men 20 years ago?

"Yes, they are. They have to be, because now most competition is on lacquered alleys. Instead of the old-time shellacked alleys. Lacquer, in general use now because it's cheaper, has a harder surface that doesn't permit the formation of 'lades' or 'grooves' on the surface."

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WILLIAMS DUE TO SIGN SEVENTH \$100,000 PACT

BOSTON (UP)—Ted Williams interrupts a \$1,000-a-day fishing exhibition today to reel in his seventh \$100,000 contract with the Boston Red Sox.

Signing of the 38-year-old slugger to the highest player salary in baseball was to be announced at a news conference this morning with general manager Joe Cronin.

The darkly-tanned Williams, in town as a feature attraction in a local sportsmen's show, was as silent about the terms of his 1957 contract on the eve of signing as he was about his broken romance with New York actress Nelva More.

Williams would not disclose the terms of the 1957 pact and neither would the Red Sox. Up until now the precise figure that the Boston box office attraction receives never has been disclosed officially. It has been estimated at between \$90,000 and \$100,000.

LOSES TO PEERLESS

Tony's Streak Ended at Nelson

NELSON (CP)—Four rinks, who previously advanced to the eighth in primary "A" event of the B.C. Bantam, Tuesday advanced with four other rinks to the eighth of the primary "B" event.

The four rinks who are in the quarter-finals of both the Diamond Jubilee event and Grand Challenge event are C. Larson of Chilliwack, Len Peerless of Nelson, Art Speers of Creston and Reg Stone of Trail.

The other four rinks who advanced in the Grand Challenge are H. E. Wheeler of Cranbrook, Dick Topping of Kamloops, R. Mathieson of Kimberley and Bill Croft of Summerland.

In advancing Tuesday, Stone, several-time B.C. champion, had a tough battle with Eric Bisgrove of Kimberley. The East Kootenay rink led 7-6 after eight ends, but Stone counted four in the ninth to win 10-7.

Len Peerless' Nelson crew advanced by snapping the string of 27 straight wins that the Tony Folk rink of Duncan had compiled in B.C. 'spiel' play and in action closer to home. Score was 10-7.

Art Ronmark of Nelson gave the Croft rink a close run before losing 10-9, and another close game saw Art Speers a 9-8 winner over Dick Palmer of Nelson.

In the grand challenge first round, the closest contest was Bill Croft's 8-6 win over Milt Ryalls of Nelson, decided on the last lock.

Grand challenge second-round results: W. Killeen, Nelson, 2; R. Topping, Kamloops, 15; W. Karjala, Nanaimo, 8; R. Mathieson, Kimberley, 12; C. Larson, Chilliwack, 13; L. J. Maurer, Nelson, 5; W. Croft, Summerland, 10; A. B. Ronmark, Nelson, 6; A. Speers, Creston, 9; R. Palmer, Nelson, 8.

E. Bisgrove, Kimberley, 7; R. Stone, Trail, 10; L. G. Peerless, Nelson, 10; A. Folk, Duncan, 7.

Wood Vantage first-round results: M. B. Ryalls, Nelson, 11; E. Mackinnon, Cranbrook, 8; D. A. Morrison, Kimberley, 5; J. Harvey, Nelson, 11; R. J. Stephenson, Chilliwack, 8; D. Porteous, Nelson, 5; A. Waters, Nelson, 7; E. Beaudry, Rossland, 4; L. Mackenzie, Creston, 6; A. Reid, Nelson, 8; R. M. Chandler, Nelson, 11; K. L. Moysey, Victoria, 4; E. C. Hunt, Nelson, 9; W. Carmichael, Prince George, 10.

Oak Bay High School senior girls ran over Esquimalt, 29-16, Monday, to post their third straight victory in inter-high league play.

Scorers follow:
Esquimalt—Pat Winterburn, 2; Carol Hunter, Frances, Helen Simonson, Ann S. Miller, Pat Burnett, Mary McDonald, Ann McDonald, Arlene Barnwell. Total 29.
Oak Bay—Val Peden, 8; Ann McKee, 11; Sheila Morrison, Maxine McCune, Val Lemass, Alice Genge, Allene Spillars, Ann Burridge, Janet Duke, Arlee Gale. Total 29.
ST. PAUL, Minn.—Del Planagan, 151½, ST. Paul, knocked out Joe Schmole, 182, Minneapolis, 1.

SHOTPUTTER EXPLAINS ATHLETIC CURE

Just a Matter of Kinesiology

By WILL GRIMSLEY

NEW YORK (AP)—The six-foot-six, 240-pound shotputter from Oxford rose laboriously to his feet and said, "You see, it's just a matter of kinesiology."

Metropolitan track writers, gnawing on a luncheon steak, stopped abruptly.

"What's that? Come again," somebody said.

"Kinesiology," replied Wil-

liam Barclay Palmer in a clipped English accent. "I feel there's nothing wrong with British athletes that kinesiology wouldn't cure."

"I'm over here to make an exhaustive study of it. Some Americans have practiced it successfully for years. I feel it would be a great boon for England if it could be brought into use generally."

"Kinesiology comes from the Greek master of movement, Kinesus," Palmer said.

PERRIN GETS OFF WITH \$100 FINE

Kilburn's Face Bashing Bargain

By DENNY BOYD

Colin Kilburn's face was going at a bargain rate today, following the disclosure that Winnipeg Warrior hockey club owner and general manager Jack Perrin had been fined \$100 for punching the Victoria coach in Winnipeg last week.

Perrin, the multi-millionaire Warrior patron, was nicked for the \$100 as an aftermath of the Pier D brawl between the Winnipeg team and the Cougars that also saw Cougar defenceman Lionel Heinrich and Winnipeg forward Earl Ingarfield fined \$50 each for their vicious high-sticking duel in which Heinrich suffered a deep gash on the top of his head.

In addition, both Heinrich and Ingarfield will sit out a one-game suspension, effective the next time the two clubs play each other.

The hot-tempered Perrin leaned over the boards in the Winnipeg game and drove his fist into Kilburn's face while the Cougar coach was fighting with a Winnipeg player. Perrin was pulled away from the fight by two policemen.

Kilburn had contemplated filing assault charges against Perrin but dropped the idea when it was widely speculated through the prairie circuit that league headquarters would



JACK PERRIN

WHL SUMMARIES

WESTERN DIVISION

Seattle 48 24 23 8 133 133 53
N. Westminster 51 23 23 8 144 156 51
VICTORIA 48 29 25 4 146 146 46
Vancouver 45 20 21 5 132 147 45

EASTERN DIVISION

Brandon 81 31 17 3 165 138 65
Edmonton 42 30 19 2 176 159 63
Calgary 49 31 25 3 156 157 65
Winnipeg 30 15 33 2 145 185 32

VICTORIA 2, NEW WESTMINSTER 2

1. Victoria, Macauley (Davidson, Anderson) 10:33.
2. New Westminster, Roberge (Love, Matthews) 15:15.
Penalties: Roberge 3:06, Roberge 10:52, Dobson 17:08, Durham 18:59.

SECOND PERIOD

1. Victoria, Haworth (Anderson, Davidson) 2:35.
Penalties: Davidson 11:52, Durham 14:08, Pelletier (served by Wilson) 15:08.

THIRD PERIOD

1. New Westminster, Schmautz (Kukijoki, Durham) 6:41.
Penalties: None.

OVERTIME PERIOD

Scoring: None.
Penalty: Durham 4:44.

SHOTS

Bentley 9 4 4 2-23
Pelletier 14 14 14 7-49

VANCOUVER 4, EDMONTON 2

FIRST PERIOD

1. Edmonton, McCarthy (Pelle, Melnyk) 11:01.
Penalty: Syverson 6:30.

SECOND PERIOD

1. Vancouver, Lamoureux (McLean) 5:39.
2. Vancouver, Hudson (Wylie) 12:05.
3. Vancouver, Penick (McLean) 16:10.
4. Vancouver, McLeod (Wylie) 17:59.
Penalty: Goff 6:59.

THIRD PERIOD

1. Edmonton, Holmes (Melnyk, Pelle) 3:14.
2. Vancouver, Penick (Lamoureux, Currie) 11:08.
3. Vancouver, McLeod (Wylie, Kaiser) 13:32.
Penalties: Johnson 22, McCarthy 32, Currie 8:01, Hay 10:43.

SHOTS

Melnyk 11 11 8-30
Rizala 10 11 15-34

BRANDON 3, CALGARY 1

FIRST PERIOD

1. Brandon, Chorley (Yanosik) 12:05.
2. Brandon, Johnson (Mifflord, Bucky) 12:47.
3. Brandon, Johnson (Voss, Mifflord) 14:38.
Penalties: Couture 12:56, Dzurko 17:08.

SECOND PERIOD

1. Calgary, Schiszi (Ashworth, Barry) 10:09.
Penalty: Bentley 16:55.

SHOTS

Bentley 12 13 7-29
Dzurko 4 13 16-24

Marcel Shows Upstarts He Can Still Be the Best

Blunts Royals' Attack As Cougars Grab Tie

Victoria 2, New Westminster 2

By DENNY BOYD

NEW WESTMINSTER—There was pride in this one—the pride of an old pro determined to show the upstarts that he is still the best.

And true enough, Marcel Pelletier did show them that he can still be the best goalie in the Western Hockey League as he fought off the New Westminster Royals Tuesday night at Queen's Park Arena. While Pelletier held the Royals at bay, the Victoria Cougars slipped in and sneaked out with a 2-2 tie with the Royals that kept the Victoria club in third place in the coast division of the Western Hockey League.

The Cougars badly needed that one point because back at Edmonton, the Vancouver Canucks patted the pressure-shy Edmonton Flyers, 6-2.

The result of the two games saw the Cougars clinging to a one-point lead over the Canucks for the last playoff birth in the coast division. But, as shaky as their third-place hold may be, the Cougars are comfortable.

They are only five points out of second place behind the Royals. The Canucks play out their final prairie trip this week and the Royals leave for the prairies Thursday. The New Westminster team will face the prairie test without the valuable services of their great leader, Max McNab.

McNab, suffering from a groin injury, sat out Tuesday's game in New Westminster and unhappily admitted the injury will keep him out of action for another week.

Marc Admits It Was 'Pretty Good'

Pelletier, backed by a fine job from his defence, stopped a total of 49 shots from the Royals, 14 in each of the regulation periods and seven more in the 10-minute extra period that failed to turn up a winner.

While he accepted the congratulations of his teammates with professional nonchalance, Pelletier did admit, "Hey, how about that one on Love? Pretty good."

That was the shot at the 14-minute mark of the third period that had winning goal written all over it in neon letters.

With the Cougars suffering from offensive amnesia and bottled up in their own zone continually, Gord Fashway slid a pass along the crease and Love, one of the great all-time scorers in the circuit, batted it goalward from beside the post. Just as the puck seemed to be

fine Perrin up to \$500 for his actions, particularly since it is the second time he has been involved in fights with players.

Meanwhile, back on the home front, it was announced today that two players will be honored at Memorial Arena Friday night, on the occasion of Kiwanis Night.

The Cougars will be playing Seattle Americans and to mark Kiwanis Night, the outstanding player from each team during the game will receive a special award. Judging will be done by members of the press and radio. Door prizes will be given to fans and the S. J. Willis High School band will supply musical spice.

Next Tuesday night, the Cougars will play a benefit game against Nanaimo Clippers at Nanaimo Civic Arena with all proceeds going to the family of Tommy White, member of the Canadian champion Nanaimo Timbermen lacrosse team who was killed on Christmas Eve in an auto accident.

The Cougars, like everyone else taking part in the benefit, will donate their services, in order to provide a fund for a house for White's widow and children.

Any city fans wishing to purchase tickets for the game can do so by telephoning the Times sports department.

Canucks Foul Flyers' Plans

DENNY BOYD—Sports Editor

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Golden Bears Keep Trophy

By The Canadian Press

Some Western Hockey League games look like soft touches but it's the easy ones that usually get away.

Such was the case at Edmonton Tuesday night, with the Flyers at home to Vancouver, Canucks. The WHL standings showed Edmonton in a pre-game tie with Brandon Regals at the head of the prairie division, and Vancouver so far into the Coast division basement they could hardly have been expected to adjust their eyes to the floodlights.

But then Vancouver was just starting its last tour of the Prairies this season, which probably accounts in part for the 6-2 thumping the Canucks gave Edmonton.

REGALS MAKE HAY

Brandon Regals weren't standing still, meanwhile. They took a 3-1 decision from Calgary to hustle into a two-point lead atop the prairie division, clinching an uphill climb that began eight games ago, the last time Brandon was defeated.

Four of Canucks' goals came in the second period at Edmonton. Gord Penick and Jack McLeod were each responsible for two Vancouver goals with Dick Lamoureux and Gord Hudson providing the others. Tom McCarthy and Chuck Holmes scored first and third period goals for Flyers.

Two of Brandon's goals, all of which came in the first, were scored by Norm Johnson. Elliot Chorley got the other while Enlo Schiszi opened the third period with Calgary's lone marker.

It was Brandon all the way in the important first period. The score could have been worse for Calgary if Hank Bassen hadn't been turning aside most of the Brandon attacks from the Stam-peders' nets. His 12 saves in that period compared with only four for Brandon's Lucien Dechene.

MIAMI BEACH, Fla.—Larry Boardman, 140, Marlborough, Conn., outpointed Ray Portilla, 141, Houston, 10.

Braves Cinch Ticket Record

MILWAUKEE (AP)—Milwaukee Braves, with a new all-time record for season ticket sales already set, have guaranteed themselves a 1957 home attendance of at least 858,744 two months before opening day.

Ticket director William Eberly announced Tuesday that 11,927 season tickets have been sold. This is five more than the previous record set in 1955, the year when the major league all-star game was played in County Stadium.

Fairfield League Meets Thursday

Residents of the Fairfield district, one of three new areas to be included in Little League Baseball this summer, are asked to attend the first organizational meeting for the area Thursday night at the new St. Mathias Hall, corner Richmond and Richardson, at 8. Fairfield, as well as James Bay and Oak Bay, will be included in the Little League chain this summer.

BAILEY HONORED

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Jim Bailey, the Australian distance runner who cracked the four-minute mile in defeating John Landy at Los Angeles last year, Tuesday night was named Oregon athlete of the year.



Cec's Fishing and Hunting Guide

There has been no reports of Brant—although they are expected soon. In Saanich area is clearing and some good catches of blue should be reported.

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OSAKA, Japan—Piaff Horde, 130, Philadelphia, knocked out Edmond Wade 12½, Japan, 5.

Doug Peden OUTDOOR REPORT

When a hunter talks wistfully about the "good old days" of shooting in British Columbia, it is always interesting to wonder in what portion of the province's history he considers hunting was at its peak.

If he is talking about times of 15 to 40 years ago, he could be close to the truth. But if he's thinking of days when the whole works belonged to the Indian, he's walking along the wrong trail.

There is a popular belief that before the white man took over, our province was one big happy hunting ground. Yet diaries of early explorers, without exception, relate tales of extreme wildlife scarcity and seldom mention big game.

Ducks and geese were undoubtedly more abundant in the early days, but most of our main species of game birds and animals have increased since the first settlers set up housekeeping.

For example, moose were unknown in the central interior portion of the province before the turn of the century. They were first mentioned south of Prince George in 1905 and have continued their southward drift at about 15 miles a year. Deer were scarce in the interior until comparatively recent years.

Main reason for the increase in these animals is that man's activity in clearing and burning forests has resulted in better forage conditions. Food plants and trees now grow in places where once there were only dense evergreen forests.

Game Has Wider Range Today

It seems probable that the most productive hunting was to be found about 25 years ago. Excluding waterfowl, game was not spread over as great an area as today, but lighter hunting pressure led to heavier concentrations in favorable sections and bigger individual game harvests.

Thus, there is good basis for some of the "good old days" theories, if you don't go back too far.

With some exceptions, like the California bighorn sheep, we have had more game than ever before in the past two decades. But each year it has been dispersed over a wider range and the harvest has been shared by an ever-increasing number of hunters.

Also helping change the hunting picture over the years has been the introduction of birds the pioneers never knew and transfer of native animals to new localities.

Many of the experiments were complete failures but some of the imports made themselves right at home.

Most spectacular success with the transfers has been on the Queen Charlotte Islands where deer were first liberated around 1900. Now there is no closed season on deer for residents of the Charlottes. Eight elk were sent to the same area in 1929 and have increased to the extent that annual seasons have been allowed.

Best known of the imported birds are pheasants, which first arrived on the scene in 1882 when C. W. R. Thompson of Victoria brought 20 birds from England. All those birds died but Thompson imported 25 from China the following year and liberated them near Esquimalt, where they did well.

Edward Musgrave brought in 12 pheasants from China in 1886 and turned them loose on Salt Spring Island and the Mainland Game Protective Association introduced Chinese pheasants at Point Grey four years later.

First open season was in 1896 and the pheasants have since then supplied hunters with some tremendous shooting. Their numbers have declined in recent years but there is no doubt they will continue to survive, although in smaller numbers.

California quail were brought to Vancouver Island and the mainland about 1890 and also flourished until recent years. Hungarian partridge multiplied well after being introduced in 1904 but are now almost gone from Vancouver Island although still surviving in fair numbers in many sections of the interior.

At least three imports failed completely to adapt themselves to B.C. conditions. Capercaillie, the European woods grouse liberated near Lake Cowichan and on the Mainland in 1906; black game, brought in from Denmark the same year, and wild turkeys, tried in 1910, quickly disappeared.

Latest import is the chukar partridge, liberated first near Kamloops in 1950 and since introduced near Oliver and Savona. Although only a few birds were taken in open seasons in 1955 and 56, the wary chukars are said to be increasing and may yet provide us with another type of shooting unknown in the "good old days."

HOCKEY SCORES

QUEBEC LEAGUE
Montreal 6, Sherbrooke 4.
ONTARIO SENIOR
Pembroke 6, Whitby 4.
ONTARIO-NOR. ONTARIO SENIOR
Sudbury 3, Windsor 1.
NORTHERN ONTARIO SENIOR
Soo, Ont. 1, North Bay 5.
ONTARIO JUNIOR
Barrie 2, Guelph 3.
SASKATCHEWAN JUNIOR
Saskatoon 2, Melville 1.
OKANAGAN SENIOR
Vernon 4, Kamloops 6.
Kelowna 3, Penticton 1.
WESTERN INTERNATIONAL
Spokane 3, Rossland 2.

RACE RESULTS

SANTA ANITA
First Race—\$4,000, maiden two-year-olds, three furlongs.
Winning Decline \$17.40 \$7.90 \$4.20
Nubia (Valencia) 22.40 1.10
Buster Dorian (Arcaro) 3.10
Time—1:14.5
Also: Steel Girl, Vera B. H. Idol, Beale Queen, Air Tyme, Royal Legion, Maid D'Or, Midnight Date, Opal Tower.
Second Race—\$4,500, optional claiming, three-year-olds, 1-1/4 miles.
Dream Story (Moreno) \$15.70 \$7.40 \$4.30
Liano (Arcaro) 4.40 2.80
Inthwood (Skuse) 7.00
Time—1:45
Also: Feet Blue, Frozen Pies, Genoni, Timonrouble, Mr. Roy, Big Shindig, Dinahs Admiral, Teia Pella, My Friend Barb.
Third Race—\$4,500, maiden three-year-olds, California-bred, seven furlongs.
Running Patch (Nevins) \$18.70 \$6.40 \$4.60
Old South (Arcaro) 3.30 2.20
Foundations (Westrope) 11.50
Time—1:24.3
Also: Poch, Myrtle Rose, Constructive, All-Zack, Dobby, Terri Misa, Book News, Red Ruse, One Hope.
Fourth Race—\$5,000, allowance, three-year-olds, six furlongs.
Joe Price (Lodgen) \$4.50 \$2.30 \$2.10
St. Panera (Westrope) 3.50 2.40
Courtin Bill (Valencia) 4.10
Time—1:39.4
Also: Pie Master, Grand Tudor, Prosty News, Playtown, Special Look.
Fifth Race—\$5,000, claiming, four-year-olds and up, seven furlongs.
Prosty News (Nevins) \$15.70 \$7.20 \$4.60
Heel Flame (Porter) 8.30 5.20
Flying Bolt (Taniguchi) 4.50
Time—1:32.2
Also: Postscript, Private Abbey, Gesticulation, Flying Venture, Lone Shakes, Tiberian, Revolt, Place Kick.
Sixth Race—\$5,500, classified allowance, four-year-olds and up, six furlongs.
Master Ace (Sterling) \$5.00 \$2.30 \$2.10
Will of Allah (Harnata) 4.40 2.80
Hour Regards (Westrope) 3.30
Time—1:39.4
Also: Mr. Sullivan, Chino Red, Dawn Lark.
Seventh Race—\$10,000, classified allowance, four-year-olds and up, 1-1/4 miles on turf.
Adam's Apple (Shomaker) \$7.10 \$3.50 \$2.80
High Button (Valencia) 2.50 1.40
Lucky O. L. (Lodgen) 4.40 2.80
Time—2:03.4
Also: By Thunder II, Mythical II, New Forest II, Prince of Queens, Soft Lights II, Vaquero II, Ros-Nuala.
Eighth Race—\$4,500, claiming, four-year-olds and up, 1-1/4 miles.
Fair Alibi (Shomaker) \$23.70 \$10.50 \$7.20
Joe Voss (Moreno) 6.40 4.70
Pine Street (Westrope) 7.40
Time—1:44.1
Also: Mr. Bluebird, Right Bright, Snow War, Abi Girl, Ben Riddle, N. Gordon, Tucca Flat, Truck, Beraca.

Dispute Perils Prairie Racing



TIME OUT! JEFF KEATE

EDMONTON (CP)—A possibility that the prairies will have no horse racing in 1957 has arisen as a result of an apparent impasse reached in a purse dispute between track operators and owners.

The dispute is between the Prairie Thoroughbred Breeders and Racing Association, representing exhibition associations in Alberta and Saskatchewan and a number of jockey clubs, and the Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association, embracing owners, breeders and trainers of the thoroughbred industry.

Indications that neither side is willing to give ground in the dispute over purse sizes are contained in two briefs, one submitted by the racing association to the breeders, owners and trainers and the other by the HBPA to the racing associations.

The HBPA brief shows that horsemen who in December asked that purses on tracks in Alberta and Saskatchewan be 55 per cent of the take, including breakage, or 58.6 per cent of the take without breakage, have not backed down a bit.

Breakage is the money left over in reckoning the mutual payoffs to the nearest dime.

The racing associations have offered 54 per cent of the take, excluding breakage. The horsemen have rejected this.

The HBPA requests that all future purse distributions be based on 55 per cent of the total take of racing associations, consisting of track percentage and breakage, and that this distribution take place in the year in which it is earned.

This would make distribution of purses automatic, with the purses increasing or decreasing according to the wagering. The horsemen said they are prepared to accept a reduced basic purse with the balance being paid out of the 55 per cent.

They said this plan would provide for an equitable purse distribution at all race meets instead of having one meeting paying 55 per cent, another 58 and another 45, as has been the case in the past.

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Olympic System May Be Changed

BERLIN (AP)—Reliable sources here say the International Olympic Committee is considering limiting the number of competitors in the summer games and possibly eliminating some sports completely.

The sources said the IOC has asked various sports organizations for suggestions on streamlining the games because they are becoming too jammed with athletes.

There also is talk of scratch-ing both cycling and soccer from the program unless both sports can be kept absolutely amateur in character.

Some members of the IOC do not like the way the Russians and their fellow Iron Curtain countries handle their soccer players and believe that the cyclists are backed largely by professionals and manufacturers.

The sources also said the office of the IOC in Lausanne, Switzerland, is studying the system of awarding gold medals. They said the IOC feels gold medals for team standings in gymnastics, equestrian events and the modern pentathlon should be eliminated altogether.

The IOC also was reported to be advocating the elimination of gold medals for the winners of individual gymnastics exercises—there are six in the Olympic program—and instead to award the best athlete in all six events the coveted medal.

Roughies Acquire Oregon State Star

REGINA (CP)—Saskatchewan Roughriders have signed John Witte, all-American tackle from Oregon State, and Jack Hill, all-Skyline Conference halfback from Utah State, to tryout contracts, President Don McPherson announced today.

Witte, who turned down an offer from Los Angeles Rams and Hill, draft choice of Baltimore Colts, are the sixth and seventh new imports to come to terms with Riders this year.

Consuegra, Palica Sign With Orioles
BALTIMORE (AP)—Veteran right-handed pitchers Sandy Consuegra and Erv Palica have signed 1957 contracts, Baltimore Orioles announced Tuesday.

The 36-year-old Consuegra had a 1-1 record with Baltimore last September after being acquired from Havana of the International League. The slender Cuban posted a 16-3 record for Chicago White Sox in 1954.

Palica will be starting his third season with the Orioles. He had a 5-11 mark last season.

OSLO (AP)—Oleg Goncharenko of Russia won the European speed skating champion title Sunday. Second was Knut Johannesen of Norway.

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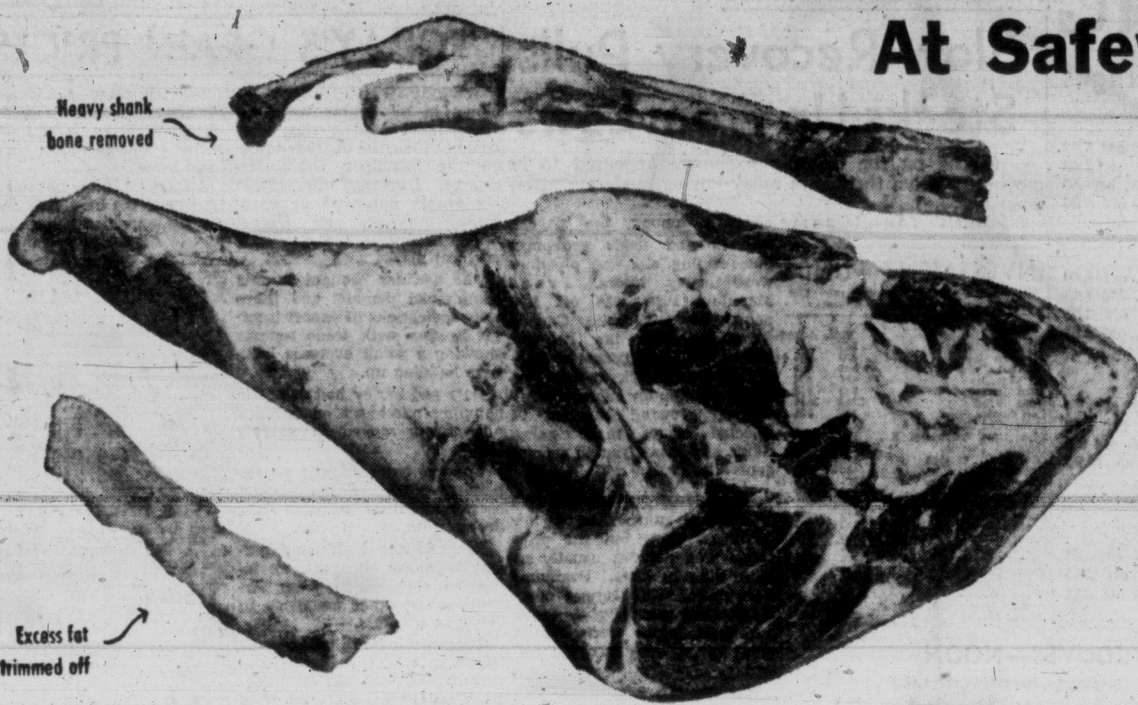
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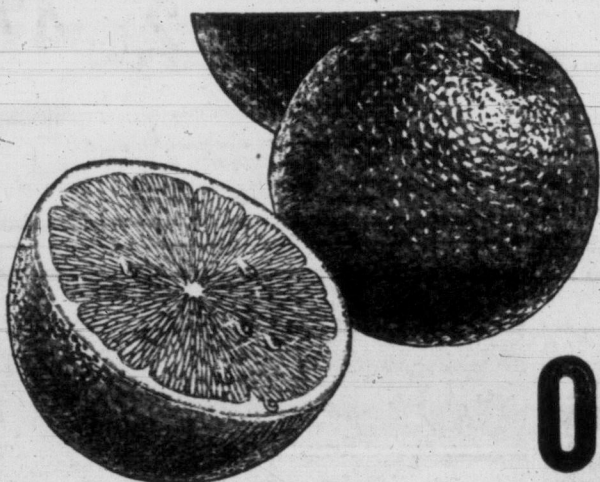


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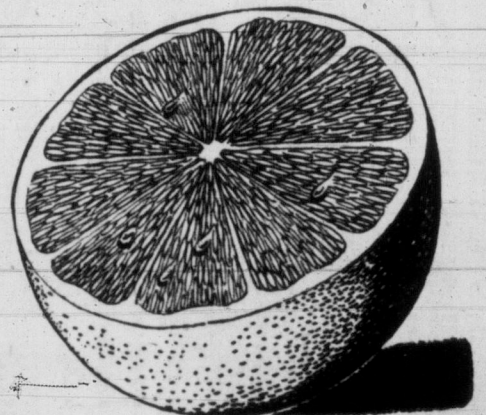
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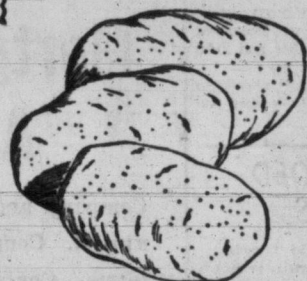
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Green Cabbage California, Firm heads, lb. **11^c**
Topped Carrots California, Crisp, crunchy, 2 lbs. **25^c**
Cauliflower Imported, Snowwhite heads, lb. **25^c**
Cooking Onions Oregon, for stews, etc., lb. **11^c**
Sweet Potatoes California, Serve candied, 2 lbs. **37^c**
Hubbard Squash Local, Serve baked, lb. **9^c**
No. 1 Turnips Imported, lb. **5^c**
Broccoli California, Tight green heads, lb. **23^c**

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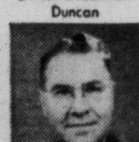
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THIS SCREWBALL WORLD

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WHITTIER, Calif. (AP)—After Allen and Diane Watts were married the bride party went to the home of the bride's mother for a reception.

Family friend Don Dunkerson, a sheriff's deputy, asked the newlyweds to close their eyes for a surprise. They did and he snapped handcuffs on them.

Everyone laughed. Even the bride couple thought it was funny—until Dunkerson discovered he didn't have the handcuff keys with him.

The entire wedding party descended on the Norwalk sheriff's station, with the embarrassed Dunkerson leading the way.

LONDON (CP)—A Lambeth district judge could not understand the accent of a Yorkshireman. A policeman was called to act as "interpreter."

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Fifty-five miles an hour normally isn't too fast for the Hollywood Freeway, but motorist Jerry A. Prod, 19, of North Hollywood, got a ticket.

Traffic officer S. W. Combs made a notation that, under the circumstances, the motorist was beyond the "prudent speed" limit.

Prod was shaving with an electric razor as he sped along.

ST. DAY, England (CP)—Angler Cyril Jones was lighting a cigarette when a fish took his bait, pulled his fishing rod off the pier at this Cornish village and swam away with it.

OTTAWA (CP)—British parliamentarian Sir Alan P. Herbert says England has become a United States colony. Speaking in semi-humorous

vein to a Canadian Club gathering, he said:

"We have their (U.S.) soldiers stationed in our country, we have their instruction on our ing and economy. If that isn't colonialism, then what bloody well is?"

MERANO, Italy (Reuters)—Walter Haller, 18-year-old laborer who bet co-workers he could go without sleep for five nights and still work, fell off a roof and was killed after his third sleepless night.

STOCKHOLM (Reuters)—If your mother and maternal grandmother were both eldest children, there is a good chance you will be an alcoholic. A Danish authority says. Dr. O. O. Osmartensen-Larsen says his statement is based on statistics that show mothers and maternal grandmothers of alcoholics are often first-born children.

ACCRA, Gold Coast (Reuters)—A dwarf only two feet seven-inches tall is reported to have been worshipped for 16 years as an idol in his native village of Hekume, in French Togoland. Tiny Mensah Tohosu, 32, revealed that his parents amassed a "fortune" by keeping him in a box perched on a mound of clay in their hut from which he spoke to people who consulted him.

Sinclair to Speak Here February 19

Federal Fisheries Minister James Sinclair will be guest speaker at an Esquimalt-Saanich federal Liberal nominating convention Feb. 19 at Liberal headquarters, Government Street.

He also will speak at the Nanaimo federal Liberal convention Feb. 16.

Parks Chief
Urged by Ash
For Saanich

Saanich Reeve Arthur Ash will recommend to council appointment of a full-time parks administrator, he told a meeting of parks committee and other interested in parks development.

Parks reform was discussed with the council committee by capital region planning director Brahms Wiesman, department of education community programs director G. J. Pynn, Saanich Recreation Council president E. C. Head and delegates from 10 out of 47 Saanich parks and playgrounds.

A delegation from the recreation council, Saanich town planner David Deeprope, Mr. Pynn, Mr. Head, Mr. Wiesman and Councilors Eugene Diespecker, Ainslie Worthington and T. J. O'Neill, chairman, will meet Feb. 20 to hear recommendations for parks work.

"The parks we have now are certainly nothing to be proud of," said Mr. Ash. "The time is here for council and those interested when we've got to consider improvements and what is in the cards for future parks."

"Whether we like it or not, we've got to spend more money on parks."

14 Vic College
Students Chosen
For Navy Training

Fourteen Victoria College students have been accepted for three years' officer training in the naval reserve while attending university.

An RCN selection board this week announced the names of the successful candidates for training under the university training division.

They are:

D. E. Allan, E. J. Clarke, J. E. Dunlop, R. H. Farquhar, D. A. Gilchrist, J. M. Gilliland, M. G. Hammerton, B. D. Hunt, F. E. McKim, J. M. McIntyre, B. H. Neilson, W. E. Skilling, A. P. D. Smith and R. N. Stone.

Members of the selection board were Dr. Harry B. Hickman and Dr. J. B. MacLean of Victoria College, Cmdr. Grubb, Lt. Cmdr. Fred Waldron, Lt. Cmdr. Graham Holland, Lieut. William Dow, staff officer HMCS Malahat, and Lieut. H. D. Smith, commanding officer UNTD.

B.C. ENGINEER GIVES WARNING

Electronic Industry
Fears U.S. Control

Danger of foreign control of Canada's \$275,000,000 yearly production of electronics was stressed here Monday by David F. Manders, OBE, British Columbia manager of Canadian Aviation Electronics Ltd.

"There must be a sizeable part of the industry relatively free of foreign control," if Canada is to retain her engineers and increase exports of electronic devices, he said.

Mr. Manders addressed the Men's Canadian Club at noon and the Women's Canadian Club in the afternoon, substituting for K. R. Patrick, OBE, company president, who became ill in Vancouver.

He said also that the shortage of engineers in Canada will probably become worse due to the accelerated electronics program in the United States.

The U.S. is "raiding" other countries of their engineers, he said, to Canada's detriment as many engineers from here are migrating south of the border.

Mr. Manders predicted that in 10 years Canada's production of electronics—which means devices controlling the electron—would total \$750,000,000, and more than \$1,000,000,000 by 1972.

At present, and even more so in the future, electronics will be used for storage and application of data, and control of action based on that data.

For instance, electronic computers in industry opens this field to new, precise manufacturing methods.

The aircraft industry will be able to solve problems years in advance of what is now considered normal, including pre-flight testing.

Electronic flight simulators duplicate with precision given results when facts are fed into

it; even what to do in emergencies!

Canadian Pacific Airlines, he said, already has a flight simulator in operation "the first airline in Canada" to use it completely.

The application for electronics, he went on, are almost limitless.

In the next 25 years, use of electronics could have the same effect on civilization as the accumulated effect since the industrial revolution of 250 years ago.

Such use would liberate the mind of man for further intellectual pursuits.

"Electronic automation will be our slaves," he predicted. Nearly 75 per cent of money spent on guided missiles goes into the electronic devices.

MULTITUDE OF USES

Application of facets of electronics were fabulous, Mr. Manders said electronics would be used in stoves for three-minute cooking; six-minute dryers; for heating; for inter-continental television; to ensure safe automobile travel; and numerous other uses.

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POST-WAR HIGH

WINNIPEG (CP)—A post-war record for livestock production in Canada was set in 1956 with close to 2,000,000,000 pounds of meat inspected, Emil Masse of Quebec City, president of the Meat Packers Council of Canada, said today.

Giant TV
Tower Falls;
Four Killed

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP)—A nearly-completed television tower a quarter-mile high, collapsed Monday, killing four men who were working more than halfway up.

The tower broke into sections as it crumpled to the ground in the midst of a thickly populated area without hitting any houses. The new broadcasting antenna, finished up to 1,265 of a projected 1,379 feet, was being built for Station WSM-TV. The dead were identified as Donald Ward Kennan, 25; Ray H. Maxwell, 27; George Presler, 33, and Robert Lee Kirshner, 30.

To Ban Air France

DAMASCUS, Syria (AP)—An Arab spokesman said Tuesday the nine nations of the Arab League will ban Air France from using their airports or flying over their territories.

Opinions Sought On Cloverdale Plan

Property owners on Cloverdale between Douglas and Quadra will be canvassed for their opinions on reconstruction of the street and installation of curbs, gutters and sidewalks as a municipally-initiated local improvement.

Saanich public works and fire committee decided to get the feeling of property owners before setting down a policy regarding costs of pavements. Under a 20-year plan, property owners on Cloverdale would pay about \$50 a year for the work.

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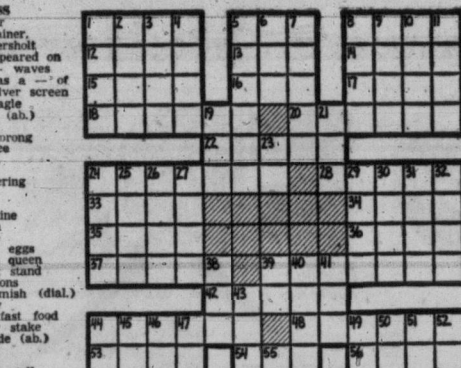
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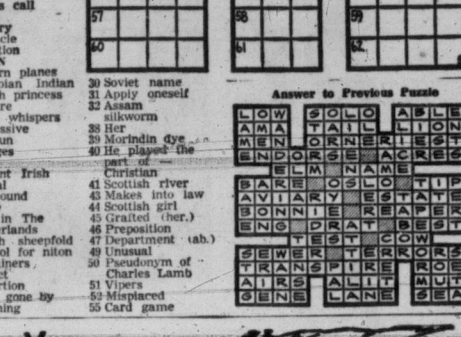
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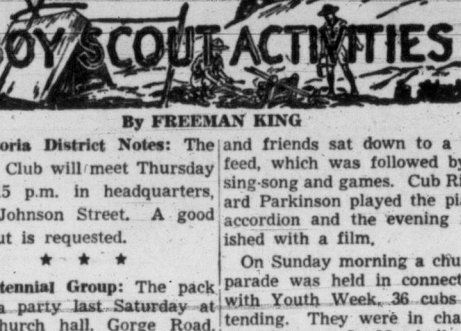
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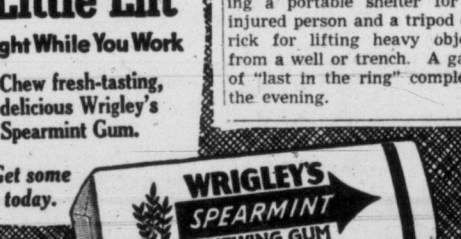
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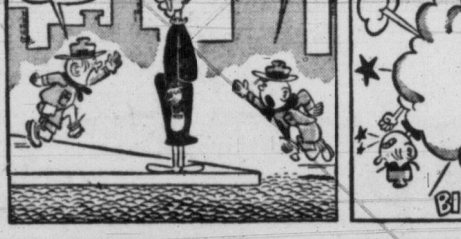
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How Do They Make Artificial Ice?

We tend to look down our noses at carbon dioxide gas. After all, it is the gas we breathe out. Our bodies have no more use for it and we think of it as a useless waste gas. This is very far from true. For all green plants need carbon dioxide gas in order to grow. And where would we be without them? What's more, green leaves swap oxygen for the carbon dioxide they take from the air -- the oxygen we need to breathe.

Apart from this vital give and take, carbon dioxide has other everyday duties in our lives. It is used to make soda pop and dry ice. It is also used as a fire extinguisher. For carbon dioxide is a non-burning gas.

Quantities of it are given off as coke burns. Quantities are given off as certain things ferment. So carbon dioxide can be gathered from coke furnaces or from breweries.

The next job is to freeze the odorless, tasteless, invisible gas. For dry ice is nothing more than frozen carbon dioxide. The freezing job cannot be done in a refrigerator, or even a deep freezer. For its freezing point is far, far lower than any temperatures reached in these machines. Water, of course, freezes into solid ice around 32 degrees Fahrenheit. Carbon dioxide refuses to freeze solid until the temperature is around minus 110 degrees Fahrenheit!

The freezing job is done by compression. It is done in stages. The filmy gas is first squeezed under the immense pressure of 600 pounds per square inch. This terrific crushing reduces the gas to liquid. However, if the liquid is sprayed in a fine jet, some of it can be captured in a solid state. Some of the jet evaporates as a gas. Some of it freezes solid in the process and becomes tiny white flakes of dry ice. These flakes are pressed into cakes and sold for refrigeration. It may be called dry ice or carbide.

A lump of ice may be 32 de-

SPCA Guest List

(A Times service for those seeking lost pets, and those wishing to acquire pets. Animals up for adoption at the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Shelter, 111 Wilson, can be secured for a nominal donation to the SPCA. Telephone 3-8134, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. for information.)

NEW ARRIVALS: Small black spaniel, male, green collar with silver studs, found Oak Bay area.

Black and white, male, cross collie pup, about 2 1/2 months, Haultain area.

Male, seven months, cross Labrador, black, brown collar, Esquimalt area.

READY FOR ADOPTION: Whoever named this character Susy was a bit miffed up, she's a he. And a really handsome, purebred collie, 18 months old. Lassie would like -- and deserves -- a good home in the country. Of Labrador-German Shepherd parentage, she's a good-sized dog, many fine qualities. Spayed female, two years old.

Black spaniel, male, 18 months old. Happy little character as his name implies... just ask for Happy.

Spaniel cross, male, about two years. Shiny black coat, soft, friendly eyes. Mickey's the name.

Myrtle is a fine combination of spaniel and collie. Female, of course, about five months old.

Three months old, black and brown, sort of spaniel type. You name her. You can have her.



VICTORIA'S PARKING PROBLEM SOLVED? This simple Ferris wheel device shows how. Engineer Paul Schumacher has offered his plan to ease the parking problem in Dusseldorf, Germany. The wheel has space for 51 autos and requires a ground area of 21x75 feet for installation. —(NEA)

In this week's Post! **Attention!** **Former Collier's Readers**

Here's good news for millions of you Luke Short fans who were reading the thrilling western *Doom Cliff* when Collier's suspended publication! You'll find the final exciting installment in this week's issue of The Saturday Evening Post.

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How the Israelis Blitzed Nasser's Army!

A Post correspondent's report of Israel's sweep through the Sinai Peninsula—showing how these tough soldiers cracked the myth of Egyptian might in only seven days!

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Swing Shifts Certain For Schools

Is the school shift system injurious to students? Are there dangers in the use of temporary classrooms? Are industrial arts a necessity in modern education? Are school sites too expensive? Why are architects employed in school building? Are our schools too large? Are lunchrooms necessary? Is a central sound system a frill?

Answers to these and other questions asked by property owners preparing to vote on the \$5,600,000 school referendum are answered for Times readers in a new series beginning today. They were compiled for the Times by the school board, Greater Victoria Teachers' Association and Parent-Teacher Association officials.

By PETE LOUDON

Greater Victoria school district will be 17 classrooms short of requirements: this fall regardless of results of the \$5,600,000 school construction referendum on March 9.

The "swing-shift" system will be re-introduced.

Tentative planning shows three classes at Oak Bay High, two at Mount View High, six at Lansdowne Junior High, two at Oak Bay Junior High and four classes in elementary schools will be affected.

If the by-law passes, first new constructions will be in the most crowded areas.

School board officials say the cost of placing the 450 students on shifts will jump due to the

need to employ extra teachers for a shorter day. Also, because shift classes begin earlier and end later than normal classes, extra heating and lighting costs are involved.

School board officials point out that under the system more teaching aids must be used. Much work covered orally by teachers in normal-length classes will now be provided for students on mimeographed forms.

Can't Maintain Required Standards

It is impossible, these authorities say, to teach up to department of education standards on a part-time basis. Trustees say pupils suffer in various ways.

There is too little time for drills in arithmetics, spelling, reading and writing and there is no time for individual help.

Board members say when two classes and two teachers share one room there are storage problems and blackboards cannot be marked with in advance of classes. Drawings, maps and

displays cannot be left where they can be observed from day to day.

Concentration is lessened by comings and goings of regular classes.

Shift classes hear regular class students at recess while they are working. Afternoon classes are too tired after to study arithmetic and reading which are normally mastered more easily in morning classes.

The shortened hours of shift systems means physical education, games and music and drama activities are curtailed.

There is a greater traffic hazard for pupils who must travel to and from school in hours of darkness. School safety patrols are not available except during regular school hours.

Junior and senior high school shifts will extend from 7.45 a.m. to noon and from 12.45 to 5.15 p.m.

These are the faults of swing shifts in the eyes of the board. Reports from teachers and parents on the same subject are being submitted to the board.

(To Be Continued)

Cedar Hill School Opens On Thursday

Fire damage is repaired, a new furnace installed and pupils will return to Cedar Hill School Thursday after a temporary attendance at Doncaster School.

Doncaster kindergarten classes which were discontinued to make room for the Cedar Hill elementary school classes, also will report on Thursday. Class one will report in the morning and class two in the afternoon.

Damage was light when ducts overheat at Cedar Hill but classes were moved out during the repair period.

Sponsors Sought
By Navy League
For Sea Cadets

New members and sponsors for junior and senior Sea Cadets are the main needs of Victoria branch of the Navy League of Canada, the group was told at its annual meeting Monday.

The executive informed membership that in spite of heavy outlays for maintenance and repairs to Rainbow Sea Cadets headquarters and supporting Wrenettes and Cadet corps, the branch was able to meet its requirements in 1956.

Re-elected president was Dennis W. Brown, and executive members named were first vice-president G. V. Bishop and second vice-president G. L. Dunlop.

On the advisory council are Ald. G. I. Edgewood, Capt. J. D. Prentice, F. L. Shaw, J. A. Worthington, Capt. W. Brown and Mrs. R. Shanks. Hugh Henderson was appointed honorary solicitor.

Citizens interested in helping the cadet program are invited to write PO Box 12 or telephone Mr. Brown at 7-2754.

JOINT HALL
TALKS RESUME
NEXT WEEK

Victoria and Saanich delegates to a joint municipal hall planning committee will meet early next week to resume discussions abandoned last fall.

Talks broke off when the right of the groups to plan such action without public authorization was challenged.

A December referendum showed a majority of ratepayers favored continuing investigations.

Chairman is Ald. Austin Curtis of Victoria.

TRUMAN SUFFERS HEAD GASH IN FALL ON ICY PAVEMENT

INDEPENDENCE, Mo. (AP)—Harry S. Truman has a six-stitch cut on the back of his head as the result of a fall Tuesday morning. He slipped on some ice at his home. The former president went on to his office in Kansas City where he was treated.

Suspect Surrenders In Boxer's Death

NEW YORK (AP)—Vincent Spano, 27, a machinist described by a district attorney's aide as the "actual killer" of former welterweight boxer Frankie Palmero, surrendered to authorities Monday night. Palmero was shot in a Bronx candy store following a fist fight with a man near the store.

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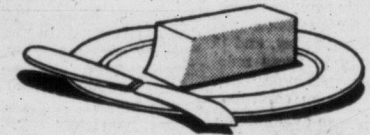
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AT THE WHEEL with Hans Gruber

As an example of the outstanding cars that come out of Britain today, let me acquaint you in some detail with the latest Ford Consul and Zephyr models.

The only important difference between the two is in the Consul's 4-cylinder engine as against the Zephyr's 6-cylinder one. The latter's wheelbase is longer by three inches in order to accommodate the longer engine, and the Zephyr is somewhat more luxuriously equipped.

Otherwise the two cars are identical, external differentiation consisting merely of variations of grille and tail-light designs.

This new Zephyr is an altogether astonishing car in all that it offers at its price. It is safe to predict that it will long reign as a conspicuously successful model in the long line of fine cars sponsored by the world-wide Ford Motor Co.

Its 6-cylinder engine is an ultra-modern piece of engineering. It displaces less than 2½ litres (approximately 151 cubic inches), its piston stroke is less than the diameter of the cylinder bores — it is a so-called "short-stroke" engine, with the attendant advantages of minimum of internal friction, low

piston travel per mile, extremely slow rate of wear, short, rigid connecting rods, etc. Its smoothness throughout its r.p.m. range suggests nothing so much as a steam turbine, and it is very quiet at all times.

In its present, standard form, the engine is conservatively detuned, meaning that it is purposely restricted from developing its full potential power output.

Why is it that a highly desirable way of building an engine? Such an engine is what can only be called "unburstable." It has a margin of stamina which will cause it to outlast any number of arduous ownership cycles. A detuned or unstressed engine remains sweet and smooth indefinitely, and quite contrary to what the adjectives detuned or unstressed may imply, the fact is that such an engine will have, in fact, superior low and medium-speed performance characteristics than the same engine in an advanced stage of tune.

Can Out-Perform American V-8 Powehouses

Factory experiments have shown that this Zephyr engine can be tuned to the point where it will out-perform the majority of American V-8 powerhouses, imparting to the Zephyr acceleration of under 10 seconds from 0-60, with a top speed of about 110 miles per hour.

However, in its present, standard form, it will still out-perform every American six-cylinder car, while using less fuel, and giving the new Zephyr a top-speed of nearly 90 m.p.h. I mention this merely for the record, and not as an inducement for you to go out and verify this figure on the road.

While I have not been able to determine this at first hand, I would assume that this vastly improved engine will have inherited from its predecessor such highly desirable features as a chrome-hardened top piston ring and rotating valves, the latter exclusive to Ford-built engines.

The car is far roomier than the earlier Zephyr series, and is a full six-seater, with a 20 cu. ft. trunk for luggage. It is, for instance, far roomier than was the 1949 Cadillac, or then were other more recent American cars, yet the Zephyr does not have the unfunctional outside bulk.

It is, in the best British practice, of unit construction, which imparts tremendous structural rigidity to the whole car together with desirable savings in total weight.

Low Priced, Fully Automatic Transmission

It is the lowest-priced car in the world with fully-automatic transmission (a torque converter by Borg-Warner). But, with standard shift, you are in control of a steering-column gear-change that, for precision and ease has no equal today, and is comparable only to those masterful pre-war, pre-hydraulic Cadillac transmission controls.

Over-drive is also available on the Zephyr, and, so equipped, a finer long-distance road car is hard to imagine. For now we come to what is perhaps this car's outstanding characteristic, namely, its handling, steering, road-holding — generally, road-ability.

In these all-important re-

spects the new Zephyr is rather in a class by itself. Its steering combines the ease of power steering with the positive feel and precision of non-assisted steering. In safe road-behavior, the Zephyr belongs to that exclusive circle rather sharply defined by such makes as Jaguar, Mercedes-Benz, Bentley Continental (\$20,000, please) — and Morris Minor.

Now, you may say, all this sounds a little too good to be true, especially at the Zephyr's price.

Why buy a Rolls-Royce, you may ask, if the Zephyr appears to possess every conceivable virtue?

Or has Gruber come into a large block of Ford shares?

be adapted to the Consul — but — what pleasure awaits you in operating that gear-lever!

There you have a disinterested description of a not untypical present-day British-made car.

Quite a different story from only a few short years ago.

The four-cylinder Consul lacks, of course, the very powerful performance of Zephyr six, and some of its ultra-smoothness.

But it is just as roomy, has the same marvelous brakes and just about the same outstanding roadability, the same hydraulically-assisted clutch, and the new and larger four-cylinder engine is now more than powerful enough to satisfy the most stubborn breaker of speed laws — it imparts performance to the new Consul closely comparable to the earlier 6-cylinder Zephyr.

With the Consul, you may have to use the gear-shift a little more than with the Zephyr (the automatic transmission cannot



SUFFERS ATTACK—L. F. Palamarchuk, Ukrainian Foreign Minister and head of the delegation of the Soviet Ukraine to the United Nations Assembly, has suffered a heart attack and is seriously ill. Soviet sources at the United Nations said today. He has been absent from meetings for about two weeks and is resting at his delegation's headquarters at Oyster Bay, N.Y. (AP Wirephoto).

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U.S.-Canada Newsmen Exchange Set Under Press Institute Program

A three-month exchange of Canadian and United States journalists will be made this year under the auspices of the International Press Institute.

Stuart Keate, publisher of The Victoria Daily Times and chairman of the Canadian National Committee of the Institute, said the exchange should strengthen the bond between English-speaking countries.

which has sent a staff member to Canada. The other month will be spent travelling in the U.S. The same program is planned for the U.S. journalist visiting the newspaper in Canada. The men will not work as ordinary reporters, but will be sent on special assignments, sit in on the news desk and editorial conferences. The same program will operate in other Commonwealth countries. Exchanges should give the visiting journalist an insight into the life of the host country as well as acquainting him with the special techniques, conditions and problems of the host newspapers. Mr. Keate said the fellowships, to be awarded every year for the next three years, are open to editors, editorial writers and foreign deskmen between the ages of 25 and 50.



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Details of Jobless Insurance For Canada's 50,000 Fishermen

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada's commercial fishermen will be able to start drawing unemployment insurance next Jan. 1, Labor Minister Gregg announced Tuesday.

The plan devised by unemployment insurance commission experts will start operating April 1 and will apply to every type of commercial fishermen in all parts of Canada.

It will be compulsory, upon the fishermen, the employers who pay them wages and the men who buy their catch if the fishermen are not wage-earners.

The scheme, affecting about 50,000 persons, was outlined briefly in the Commons by Mr. Gregg. It was approved by the cabinet last week.

The minister said coverage will be provided only during the winter months when Canada's round-the-year insured can qualify for "seasonal" benefit payments. This period is from Jan. 1 to April 15.

MATCH CONTRIBUTIONS

However, fishermen's payments into the \$900,000,000 insurance fund will start from April 1. They will be matched by contributions from employers, with fish buyers regarded as employers.

Some 4,000,000 of Canada's 5,500,000 workers are covered by unemployment insurance. They are straight wage or salary earners. Insuring the fishermen posed complexities because many are self-employed or work on shares with others on fishing ventures.

In the case of fishermen, only about 8,000 are on wages, a factor complicating administration of a plan.

Mr. Gregg said that at the moment regulations have been completed only for collection of contributions. It would be later before details of benefit payments would be worked out.

He gave the House such points as:

1. Fishermen qualifying for benefits during the Jan. 1-April 15 period will be able to collect them for a minimum of 10 weeks. This is the same as regularly-insured workers get as a minimum for the seasonal benefits.

2. In general, the rates of contributions and benefits will be the same as applying to all other seasonal workers.

3. Provision will be made for "integrating" fishing contributions with those made by fishermen working in normally-insured employment when they are not at the fishery.



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Driver Suspensions Doubled in January

Twice as many drivers with bad records were suspended in January this year than in January, 1956, according to George Lindsay, motor-vehicle branch superintendent.

In its drive to reduce the mounting death toll on B.C. highways, the branch checked the driving records of 3,688 B.C.

residents, and 172 of them were suspended. In the previous January 81 drivers lost their licenses.

In addition, this year 291 motorists received warning letters as against 85 a year ago. The total number of records examined was only about 300 less than the investigation in 1956.

Death of another person injured in a traffic accident towards the end of the year hiked the 1956 death toll to 314, 89 more than the 225 who died in 1955.

LOVELAND GIVES CUPID HELPING HAND

LOVELAND, Colo. (AP) — Once again Loveland's postmaster is giving true love a helping hand.

Valentines by the tens of thousands are streaming into the post office, to be mailed with the Loveland postmark and special cachet.

This year the cachet, or special seal, includes this rhyme:
Atomic missiles are
Super, we know,
But no match for the arrow
For Dan Cupid's bow.

RCAF Instructor, NATO Student Killed

WINNIPEG (CP) — An RCAF instructor, FO B. W. Cherewick of Fort Garry, and a NATO student were killed when their twin-engine Expediter crashed in a snowstorm Monday night near suburban Charleswood on Winnipeg's western outskirts.

WAS IT YOU?

LETTERS TO DRIVERS

(In this column the Times presents letters from and to drivers about careless, discourteous or reckless infractions of driving and pedestrian rules. When you see one, just send in the place, date and time, and what happened. DON'T give the number of the offending vehicle. Only initials of complainants will be used.)

TODAY'S BEEFS

At 10:25 p.m. on Feb. 4, a 1949 Vauxhall travelling east on Fort Street in the centre lane had the right turn signal arm out all the way from Quadra Street, where the right turn into Fort was made, until it reached the Dardenelles.

One large car blasted a warning on its horn but the lady driver of the Vauxhall kept to the centre at a steady 30 m.p.h. Thanks for the warning, large car. I was the Vauxhall driver. I use arm signals at all turns, but on dark wet nights use the wig-wags also so other drivers can see my turning signals, as from experience I know that no driver can see an arm signal against approaching headlights. I found on reaching home that water had got into the arm causing it to stick. I'm sorry, and

will be more alert in future. —R.M.G.

Will you please give the enclosed \$2.00 as an anonymous donation to the Victoria Symphony. If I could afford more I wouldn't be driving a 1949 car. I feel I owe somebody something for such stupid inattention to my signalling mechanism. —R.M.G.

(Ed. Note: To R.M.G., thanks for delightful frankness. The contribution has been forwarded.)

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B.C. Actress Rejoins Top U.K. TV Panel Show

LONDON (CP) — Canada's Barbara Kelly is rejoining Britain's best-known television panel show, "What's My Line?" The Vancouver actress has settled a dispute over fees and will be back on the BBC program starting Feb. 17.

Miss Kelly was a member of the original panel. Salary differences kept her out of the show for the last few months.

Her actor husband, Bernard Braden, also of Vancouver, is to launch a series of informal television interviews with celebrities shortly.

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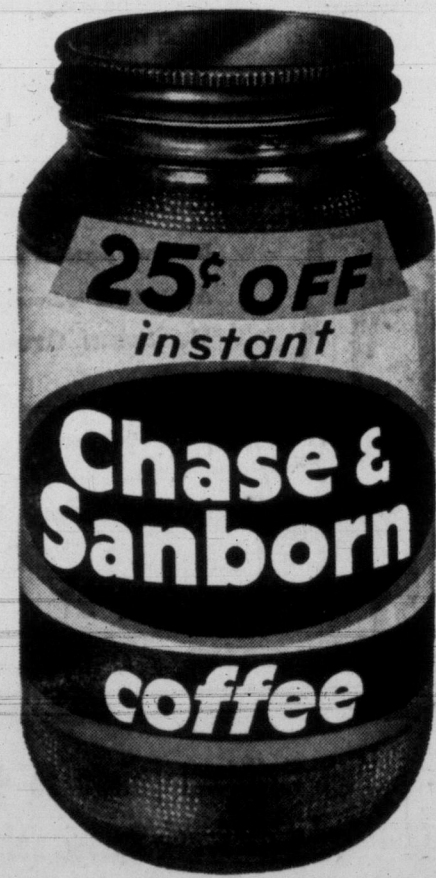
Salad forks, reg. \$2 each
Service spoons, reg. \$2 each
Sugar tongs, reg. \$3 each — OR
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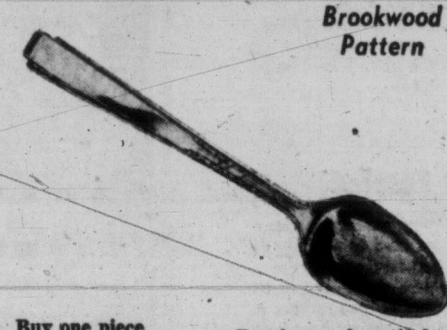
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HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, silverware dept., main

HE LIKED NEW BROTHER BUT NOT PICTURE BOOK

LONDON (CP) — Mrs. Richard Calvert was afraid her two-year-old son, Richard, might be jealous of the family's new baby.

So, on the way home from the maternity hospital she bought Richard a picture book. Richard took an instant liking to his new baby brother, but the picture book was just awful.

While the rest of the family gathered around the new arrival, little Richard toddled off, found a box of matches and set fire to the picture book. Now mother and baby are back in hospital suffering from shock and the Calverts are looking for a new home.

'I Was Terrified,' Says Edgelow After Romp With Alberni Lions

Ald. Geoffrey I. Edgelow said today he will "recommend" that the city council give serious consideration to zoo keeper Paul Hertel's wish to move his menagerie from Alberni to Victoria.

Mr. Edgelow was in a cage Thursday with three of Mr. Hertel's African lions, romped with a cougar, and will give a report first hand to the city council Friday.

"He has large cages in his zoo at Beaver Creek," Ald. Edgelow said, "and I was pleased with the condition of both the cages and the animals."

'TERRIFIED'

"Paul has a definite way with animals," he said. "He is kind to them, and goes into the lions' cages without protection of any sort. Me—I was terrified."

Ald. Edgelow visited the zoo on the request of Mayor Percy Scurrah, who suggested investigation of Thetis Lake as a zoo site on learning that Mr. Hertel wanted to locate in Victoria.

Mr. Hertel hopes to set up a private zoo in this area and charge admissions to keep it operating. Although patronage is good in his present Alberni Valley location, he feels the zoo would thrive close to a metropolitan area.

He is anxious to make the move.

"Tell them to make up their minds in Victoria so I can be set up there by spring," he told Mr. Edgelow after his visit.



Talking over new zoo are, from left, Ald. Edgelow, "Fritz" and Paul Hertel.

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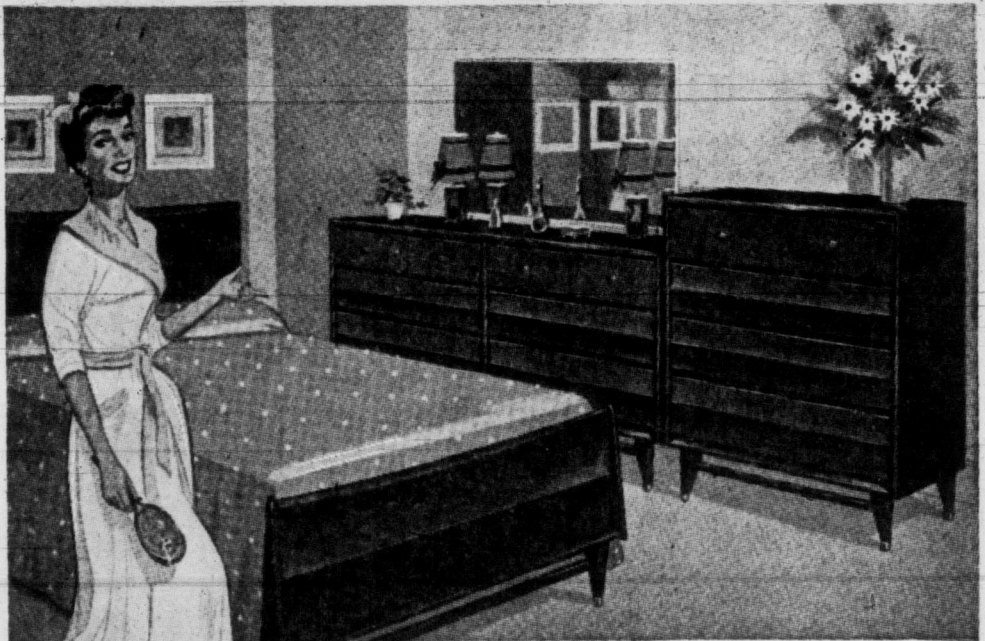
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HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, furniture, fourth

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- The factory demonstration will help you with your problem.

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, paints, lower main

Times Photo Unites Hungarian Brothers

A photograph published in the Times has brought about the reunion of two Hungarian refugee brothers.

Stephen and Andrew Balogh, with Andrew's wife, Margite, started their escape from Hungary together. But Andrew and Margite became separated from Stephen, the older brother.

They came to Canada by boat, and eventually reached Victoria, without a clue to Stephen's fate.

Mr. and Mrs. Balogh were invited to stay at the home of Mrs. J. A. Church, 919 Transit. Last Wednesday, in connection with an appeal for Hungarian dictionaries, the Times printed Mrs. Balogh's picture.

Tuesday a letter from Langley Prairie arrived at 919 Transit. It was from Stephen, and explained he had reached Canada by air, and had obtained work on a farm near Langley Prairie.

He had seen Margite's picture in the Times and—although he cannot read English—recognized her. His employers on the farm translated the picture caption and helped him write the letter.

Tuesday evening Mrs. Church arranged a reunion by telephone between the two brothers.

"It was like Christmas and New Year's rolled into one," said Mrs. Church.

I can remember the time when I liked to eat an orange. In fact, this time was as recent as yesterday, before I read an advertisement for Sunkist oranges which says oranges contain important bio-flavonoids and protopectins. Blowed if I can enjoy an orange with bio-flavonoids and protopectins (important or unimportant).

I can't even pronounce 'em, let alone eat 'em.

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TOPICS OF THE DAY

Annual dance of the Saanich Police Benevolent Society will be held Friday, March 1, at the Crystal Garden.

Tickets are on sale at \$4 a couple and may be obtained from any member of the Saanich police department.

Victoria Optimist Club will be host to 40 delegates from the western United States and western Canada at a district board meeting Friday at the Empress Hotel.

Plans for the district convention to be held in Saskatoon in May will be discussed.

City council finance committee will ask council Friday to approve a luncheon for about 100 persons attending a Pacific Northwest City Managers' Association convention here May 13. The committee will ask authorization to spend up to \$300 in this regard.

Esquimalt Community Club meeting tonight, at 8 o'clock, has been cancelled because of the weather.

Victoria council Friday will consider asking Oak Bay to increase payments toward upkeep of Gonzales Bay beach which is cared for on an intermunicipal basis.

In the past Victoria has done the work and has received a donation of \$150 a year from Oak Bay.

Council parks committee has now advised council bench upkeep this year will cost \$1,350, plus \$1,000 for bench clearance. The committee recommends Oak Bay be asked to pay a larger share of the increased costs.

A ban on all non-essential local improvement debentures until bonds on hand are sold will be recommended to Saanich council by its finance committee.

Coun. Eugene Diespecker, committee chairman, said only essential projects such as sewerage and water-works would be financed by debentures during the tight money period, unless cash is paid for work.

Victoria council public works committee today approved painting of pedestrian crosswalks at the following intersections:

Pandora and Stadacona, Pandora and Begbie, Cook and Rockland, Richmond and Haultain, Government and Queens, Fort and St. Charles, and Fairfield and Masters.

MONTE ROBERTS

If anything of consequence appears below, it is purely unintentional.

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A CHARRED SEWING BOX and its baked contents were salvaged from the thin heap of ashes left this morning after flames razed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonel Genereaux 150 feet off the Trans-Canada Highway near Cobble Hill at dusk Tuesday. The couple, seen here, lost all but a few belongings. (Times photo by Irving Strickland)

\$470 in Fines Against Sailors For Taking Cars, Careless Driving

Three sailors involved in stolen car incidents last Friday night were fined a total of \$470 in city police court today.

Ross Buchanan, HMCS Naden, was ordered to pay \$235 or spend 65 days in jail.

He was fined \$100 on each of two charges of taking a car without the owner's consent and \$35 for careless driving.

Police said Buchanan piled the first car into a parked auto, fled on foot and stole another vehicle before his arrest.

Harley Andrew and Kenneth Brown, both HMCS Naden, each were fined \$100 for taking a car. They were arrested after being involved in a collision at and Brown was fined an additional \$35 for careless driving.

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Naked Baby Sits in Snow

Blaze Destroys Up-Island Home

Insurance Just Lapsed; Little Furniture Saved

By AB KENT, Times Staff Reporter

A baby girl sat naked in a snowbank for nearly an hour Tuesday night as her parents' house burned to the ground near Cobble Hill.

Linda, who will be two next Monday, was waiting for her bath as her mother, Mrs. Ruth Genereaux, 23, washed dishes in the kitchen of their home on the Trans-Canada Highway near Fisher road.

When fire from an overheated sheet metal wood stove broke out in a lean-to storeroom at the rear of the house, Mrs. Genereaux snatched her daughter and put her in a high chair outside.

The little girl sat watching the fire while Mrs. Genereaux and neighbors tried to save furnishings. It was nearly an hour before she was remembered by her mother. Someone had put a coat around the child.

"She didn't say 'boo', just sat there," her mother said.

This morning Linda appeared none the worse except for the sniffles.

Everything but a few items of furniture, the family car, a water pump and the clothes worn by the couple went up in flames.

Fire started about 6:15 while Leonel Genereaux, 29, was on the night shift driving for Copley Bros. at Bamberton cement works.

His last concern on leaving home for work was to remind his wife to watch the fire.

The heater was the same type which caused a Sooke house to burn and take the lives of two children a few days after Christmas.

INSURANCE LAPSED

Insurance on the Genereaux home and furnishings, valued at about \$6,000, lapsed Jan. 24 and Mr. Genereaux intended to renew it next payday.

Only effort to snuff flames, which ate rapidly into the cedar shiplapped, three-room frame house, was made by Steve Crothers, first neighbor on the scene, who threw snow at the burning house.

By the time help arrived there were only a few minutes left to remove mattresses, radio, TV set, refrigerator, a table and chest of drawers.

Nearest firefighting equipment was at Mill Bay, but it is used only by fire protective association members, which the Genereauxs were not. Shawngnan Lake fire apparatus was too far away to be sent.

Relief for the stricken family is being organized by Cobble Hill branch of Vancouver Island Ratepayers' Association, Cobble Hill Community Hall Committee, Shawngnan Lake-Cobble Hill Farmers' Institute and Women's Institute.

Mr. Genereaux built much of the house himself during the past 2½ years and had completed the interior. The lean-to containing the heater was left with a view to building an addition to the home.

Cleaning up after supper, Mrs. Genereaux went into the storeroom to check the heater.

"It had two pieces of wood in it and everything looked all right," she said.



TWO-YEAR-OLD LINDA GENEREUX sat in the snow without whimpering and without clothes while her house burned to the ground. Her mother ran with her from the burning home, and had no time to dress her daughter, whose clothes were destroyed with the house Tuesday night.

THURSDAY MEETINGS

Victoria Rotary: Empress Hotel, 12:10 p.m. R. W. Purves, B.C. Electric Co. will speak on "Human Relations in Business and Industry."

Oak Bay Kiwanis: Oak Bay Beach Hotel, 6:15 p.m. Dr. J. Beattie McLean will discuss "Austria-Soviet Relations."

St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society: Knights of Pythias Hall, 8 p.m. Amateur night after meeting.

Vita-Flex Health Club: Orange Hall, 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Ivy Parsons will speak on "I Had Cancer."

Y's Men's Club: YMCA, 6:30 p.m.

Victoria Kinsmen: Pacific Club, 6 p.m.

Victoria Optimists: Pacific Club, noon luncheon.

Esquimalt-Saanich Seat Sought by Sinclair Aide

Alistair Fraser, 34-year-old private secretary to Fisheries Minister James Sinclair, will resign that post "very shortly" to move to Victoria and contest the federal Liberal nomination in Esquimalt-Saanich, it was confirmed today.

In a wire to this newspaper, Mr. Fraser said he intended to open a law practice in Victoria. He is expected to arrive here in mid-March.

If he succeeds in winning the Liberal nomination, which was contested in the last federal election by Duncan McBride, Mr. Fraser will face a tough opponent in Maj.-Gen. George R. Pearkes, VC, who has held the seat for the Progressive Conservatives since 1945.

Fraser is a graduate of the University of B.C., where he was a Canadian university champion debater.

He is nephew of Mrs. (Dr.) W. G. Wilson of this city, and son of the Hon. Alistair Fraser, Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia.

As private secretary to Mr. Sinclair, Mr. Fraser accompanied the fisheries minister on his tour of the Russian industry two years ago and brought Mr. Sinclair back to Canada after his serious accident during inspection of a Russian fishing plant.

TRAFFIC FINES

In city court today: Philip G. Holmes, 3191 Admirals, \$35 for careless driving Jan. 16 when his taxi collided with the rear of another auto stopped in traffic on Douglas at a pedestrian crosswalk, causing a total of \$950 damage. Holmes was restricted to business driving for the next month.

Joseph Dobble, 1224 Reynolds, \$25, expired driver's licence.

There is another excellent dividend: each picture taken will eventually be shown to friends back home, thus providing the best free publicity in the world for Hawaii.

The obvious thought occurs: why couldn't we do a similar show during the tourist season, here in Victoria?

We have a first-class attraction in our native Indians. Their dances, their costumes and their crafts, if intelligently presented, would be magnificent subjects for the cameras of visiting Americans.

We have a logical site at "Thunderbird" Park, or at the base of the World's Tallest Totem. All we need is the support of the Parks Board, the Indian Arts Council, the photographic supply houses, TCA, the CPR and the other transportation boys.

It's a natural! Sam Lane, take it away.

MOBILE CARAVAN TO TELL STORY OF B.C.'s INDUSTRIAL GROWTH

A mobile caravan designed to tell the story of 100 years of industrial growth in B.C. will tour the province during the 1958 centennial. L. J. Wallace, chairman of the Centennial Committee, announced today.

The first part of the caravan will consist of mobile units prepared with the help of industries and businesses in the province. The second part will be known as the B.C. products bureau unit, organized in the form of a display and stage show.

Driving Charge

Opens Assizes

At Nanaimo

Annual Spring Assize Court opened in Nanaimo today with the trial of Fred Peter Potapov, of Nanaimo, on a charge of criminal negligence arising out of a highway accident July 22, three miles west of Parksville.

An Alberni man, William Edward Carter, 50, was killed in the accident, and five other persons in the two cars involved were injured.

Deceased was the driver of one car and Potapov drove the other.

Only witness heard in the morning session was Const. R. Woodfin, RCMP, of Parksville, who told the court of having interviewed survivors of the crash in hospital after the accident.

"As I understand it, a fence will be run down the middle of the ramp, leaving one side for navy use and the other side for the public," he said. "We have also been told that the large cement apron will be available for public parking."

The provincial government has bought property by the Mill Bay ferry landing, and will create a parking space and cement ramp on the site where a sloping beach has been used as a makeshift launching area.

ACCESS ROAD

B.C. Cement Co. Ltd. is going to build an access road, parking and picnic area, launching ramp and water ski float at Sandy Beach south of Mill Bay, and hopes to start work in a month.

"The water ski float will keep skiers away from the swimming area," Mr. Adams said.

The Capital Improvement District Commission will build a ramp at Ogden Point as part of its beautification program, and a private ramp will be in operation at the Van Isle Marina near Sidney.

Establishment of the ramps to serve owners of small in-board and outboard craft, usually carried on trailers, has been the leading objective of the club, which was formed last year.

Q. In what year was the headquarters fire hall on Cormorant Street built, and what was it built for? J.R.

A. The structure was authorized in 1890 and construction was carried out in the following year. The structure was erected as a market building and later part of it was transformed into the headquarters fire hall.

Any wishing a question answered is invited to send the problem along to "ASK THE TIMES" Editor, Questions and answers will be published daily.

A question should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve domestic

ESQUIMALT NAVAL SHIP MOVEMENTS

Ontario, Jonquiere, Stettler on training course, return May 3.

Comox, James Bay, Fortune on exercises, return 10 a.m. Thursday.

Crescent, Sioux, Athabaskan, Cayuga on exercises in California waters. Sioux returns P.M. Thursday, remainder March 7.

New Glasgow on exercise, returns 3:30 p.m. Feb. 15.

PUBLISHER'S NOTEBOOK

(Third of a Series)

One of the smartest promotional stunts ever conceived in Honolulu is the free hula show staged at 10 o'clock every Thursday morning in Kapiolani Park.

A tall, good-looking man named Fritz Herman started it all 20 years ago. Since that time it has played to an estimated 50,000 visitors a year.

As Mr. Herman is resident manager of the Kodak Company, it is conceivable that he figured tourists would like to take pictures of

authentic Hawaiians. The fact that his firm was prepared to develop and print color film in 24 hours attracted the shutterbugs in droves. The Parks Board provided the setting and the bleachers. The Visitors' Bureau, airlines and steamship companies, hotels and transportation firms chipped in.

The show itself lasts 75 minutes and is presented against a stunning backdrop of rolling surf and leaning palms, with a grass hut and red outrigger handy as appropriate photographic "props." A tall, grey-haired woman named Louise Akeo, handsome in a long cotton dress, tells the story of each dance and explains the traditions of poi pounding, coconut

tree climbing and net throwing. Just for laughs—and "gag" pictures—there are a couple of comic dances in which a 300-pound Hawaiian woman named Muriel goes into the crowd, flings her arms around various good-natured gentlemen and kisses them on the tops of their balding pates.

Needless to say, the shutterclick furiously during these Polynesian picadilloes. (I am withholding for vast



SHOPPING GUIDE

Up-to-Date Collar Tabs Meant for the Modern Man

By PENNY SAVER

You men who are grumbling about wilted collars, that inevitably give you a rather untidy appearance need grumble no more. You're just a bit behind the times if you are still wrangling with little plastic or wire stays that usually end up wearing out the points of your collars. Of course, I can't expect you to find all the new things right off, that's why I'm making a point of telling you about these little collar wonders I found in town. They'll work magic with that business shirt of yours. Brand new collar stiffeners that approach the problem of curled or sagging collars in a new way, are available for just 25 cents a set.

Shaped like little collar fronts themselves, these collar tabs are of a stiffened plastic. They fold over your tie and tuck neatly and efficiently under your collar. Press the tie and tab snugly where you want 'em, just under the collar front, and your worries about wilted collars are over. The inside of the plastic fold is molded with little gripping lines so that it will stay put. What could be easier! And a wonderful point is that though your collars will be neatly and smartly stiffened, there's no wear and tear on the fabric. A quarter is small price to pay for such a handy device that makes all the difference in a man's appearance!

I promised you men that I'd drop a few ideas about Valentine gifts you can buy here in town. Flowers... always a

Senior IODE Chapter Activities Commended

Mrs. Warren Smith, municipal regent, speaking at the annual meeting, commended the Gonzales Chapter, IODE, for educational and welfare work done during the year. The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. A. Joanes, 1324 St. David Street, with regent, Mrs. A. Chisholm, in the chair.

In the secretary's report given by Mrs. Joanes, it was shown that layettes were made for babies of unwed mothers, and flowers had been taken to the Veterans' Hospital. Twelve plastic dirty bags were filled and distributed to children of Hungarian refugees.

Treasurer's report, prepared by Mrs. W. F. U. Copeman, showed total receipts as \$25.20 and total disbursements, \$27.00. Bridge games netted \$50 and a child and welfare tea, \$50.25 and articles of children's clothing.

A total of \$32.49 was spent on educational projects, Mrs. D. Kerfoot said in her educational report. Bursaries of \$100 each were presented and books given to various classes in Happy Valley school.

Other reports were given as follows: Echoes, Mrs. E. Peterson; services at home and abroad, Mrs. Copeman; standard bearer, Mrs. R. W. Shannon.

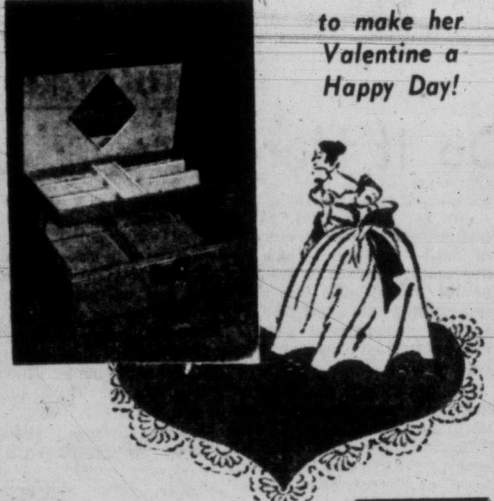
Special guests included Mrs. Warren Smith, Mrs. T. Lumsden, Mrs. J. L. Gates and Mrs. R. H. Spilsbury.

Mrs. A. Chisholm was re-elected regent of the chapter. Her executive includes: First vice-regent, Mrs. C. W. Clarke; second, Mrs. W. R. Hobbs; secretary, Mrs. A. Joanes.

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Women on Furlough Tell Experiences

A panel discussion on missions work, conducted by Miss Mary Sherrick, BA, BEd, of Bhil, India, and Miss Ellen Douglas, formerly of India, was a highlight of the Tuesday evening session of the 43rd annual meeting of the Victoria Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Miss Sherrick, at present on furlough, was appointed to the Bhil field with headquarters at Amkhut, India, in 1933. Her term was extended a year in order that a colleague might have a year's leave of absence.

She is noted for her work in adaptation of the curriculum and in gearing it to the community environments and its needs.

Meetings, which commenced with registration Tuesday at 2 p.m., are being held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church with Mrs. Gaines Cameron presiding.

Greetings were given at the evening session as follows: St. Andrew's Church, Dr. J. L. W. McLean; Victoria Presbytery, Rev. E. G. Thompson, Moderator; Presbytery camp message, Rev. T. H. McAllister, and synodical message, Mrs. Maurice Clifford, president.

Mrs. J. McKinty, in giving report of the three young women's auxiliaries, announced they had contributed \$84.50; Mrs. L. Argyle announced that the one active evening auxiliary had contributed \$275 to general fund and \$11.25 to supply.

Devotions were taken by St. Andrew's CGIT group and the offering by the Chinese Women's Auxiliary.

Report on girls' organizations given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. R. A. Davis showed three Canadian Girls in Training groups with a total membership of 38. These groups contributed \$84.50 to general funds. Mrs. Davis also reported that 62 girls attended Glizna Lake camp last year.

There is a membership of 93 in the mission bands, said Mrs. J. Blott, and contributions amounted to \$77.75. Explorer groups have a membership of 96 and \$31.11 was contributed.

Other reports given Tuesday afternoon included Glad Tidings, Mrs. F. O. Jenkinson; home helpers, Mrs. F. R. Moore; Chinese work, Miss Gertrude Scott, and recording secretary, Mrs. R. H. Cox.

Discussion leader was Mrs. Maurice Clifford. A musical number was given by St. Andrew's Explorers Group and the closing prayer taken by Mrs. W. Draper.

CLUB CALENDAR

Victoria Women's Institute, social afternoon, Friday at 2 p.m., YWCA. In memory of Adelaide Hoodless, founder of women's institutes in Canada. Mrs. Hazel Woodward, president of the South Vancouver Island district board, will speak. Mrs. J. L. Andrews president of the Victoria Branch, Canadian Association of Consumers, will also give a talk. Tea will be served. Visitors may attend.

Women of the Moose, Chapter No. 25, meeting Friday, at 7:30, in the Moose Hall, 514 Fort Street, for initiation. Formal dress.

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VALENTINE FROLIC PLANNED

Royal Jubilee Hospital Alumnae Association has arranged a Valentine frolic to be held in the White Eagle Hall on February 15 with Len Acres' orchestra in attendance. The

planning committee includes, from the left, Mrs. R. A. Bolt, alumnae president; Mrs. J. A. McCague and Mrs. D. C. Lister.

Regent's Gavel Handed Mrs. Fowler Of Robert Burns McMicking Chapter

Mrs. Owen Fowler became regent of Robert Burns McMicking Chapter, IODE, Tuesday evening. She succeeds Miss Constance Chow.

Other members of the executive include Mrs. Peter Balagno, first vice-regent; Mrs. J. T. A. Fox, second; Mrs. Herbert Barnes, secretary; Mrs. Austin Flint, treasurer; Miss Mary Tindall, services at home and abroad; Mrs. W. Bromley, educational secretary; Miss Alison Chow, Echoes; Miss Carus Leakey, standard bearer; Miss Alice McDougall, assistant secretary.

In giving the retiring secretary's report for Mrs. H. Barnes, Mrs. W. Bromley recalled main money-making events, which were a smorgasbord dinner, a fashion show, rummage sales and raffles. Much work had been done for the blind of Victoria during the past year.

Treasurer, Mrs. Austin Flint, announced receipts as \$1,305.65 and disbursements, \$1,337.11.

A sum of \$406.22 was spent on education and \$163.93 was given towards entertainment for the blind.

Educational secretary, Mrs. Balagno, reported that \$50 was donated to S. J. Willis school band towards its trip to the Music Festival at Waterloo, Ont.; \$100 to the IODE bursary fund; readers and \$30 towards a radio-phonograph for James Bay Elementary School. Two \$100 scholarships were awarded.

Donations of clothing were given to St. Michael's School at Alert Bay, Veterans' Hospital, Korea and British and European

Relief Fund, according to services at home and abroad convenor, Miss Margery Tindall.

Food hampers were sent to the needy and gifts to the chapter's adopted patient at Veterans' Hospital. A donation was also given towards the carving of the chapel in the hospital.

Reports were by Miss Carus Leakey, standard bearer; Miss Alison Chow, Echoes; Miss M. Brown, nominating committee; Mrs. A. Drysdale, films; Mrs. John Church, blind convenor; Mrs. Violet Edwards, empire and world affairs; Mrs. Elsie Lowthian, publicity; Mrs. Fowler, flowers and gifts, and Miss Christine MacNab, immigration and Canadianization.

Retiring regent, Miss Constance Chow, told the history of the chapter's namesake, Robert Burns McMicking.

Guest speaker was Miss Dorothy Stark, Victoria representative to the Canadian National Institute of the Blind, who told of the new CNIB buildings and grounds in Toronto.

"More than three acres of the 10 given to the blind are covered with buildings," she said, and described the modern structure

and conveniences, such as Braille clocks.

She spoke of the "fragrant garden" filled with flowers especially chosen for their scents. Beds are raised to waist height, so the blind do not have to bend over to smell the blooms. Each flower is identified in Braille, and there are cement walks and park benches beneath the shade of trees.

Greetings from Municipal Chapter were brought by Mrs. Warren Smith, municipal regent. Mrs. J. L. Gates, honorary vice-regent of the chapter, Mrs. T. Lumsden and Mrs. Phipps also spoke.

At conclusion of the meeting, Mrs. Fowler presented a gold compact with the IODE crest to retiring regent, Miss Chow.

Clubwomen's News

At Sunset Lodge—The drama group of Victoria Women's Institute recently entertained elderly ladies at Sunset Lodge with a presentation of "The Incredible Optimist." Six small hand-knit afghans were donated to the lodge.

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On Etiquette

About wedding anniversary plans:

For my parents' wedding anniversary, I am planning an informal buffet dinner. Since funds are limited, I am handling all arrangements. There are a number of out-of-town relatives to invite. Will I be responsible for their hotel bills? What should I tell them in the invitations? I don't want them to be under the impression that the affair will be a formal ball. As for the local guests, should the invitations be written or would telephoning them be equally suitable?

Louise Davis answers: I suggest that you write each of the out-of-town relatives that you are giving an informal buffet dinner party for your parents and that you would love to have them join the family if they can. There is no need to say anything more.

Some of those accepting may ask you to do them the favor

of making hotel reservations. If so answer and say that you have complied with their requests and tell them which hotel. You are not obligated to pay the bill any more than you are to pay their traveling expenses.

For local guests telephone calls would be as nice as anything, although you can write notes if you prefer.

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AT OPENING

Outstanding Feminine Gowns

Adding a final exciting touch to the color and pomp of traditional ceremonies surrounding the opening of the British Columbia Legislature on Thursday afternoon will be many attractive ensembles worn by wives of high ranking officials and other feminine guests who will be present in the Parliament Buildings and later at the Premier's reception in the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. Frank Mackenzie Ross, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor, will wear a striking black wool suit, a Marie-Paul original. Her hat will be of white petals shading to green on the crown, and she will complement her ensemble with pearls.

Mrs. W. A. C. Bennett, wife of Premier of British Columbia, will wear a black dressmaker suit imported from Switzerland. Her hat, in popular mushroom shape, is of rose beige shade, and she will wear a silver blue mink stole.

Mrs. Robert Bonner, wife of attorney-general, has chosen a sheath dress with matching jacket in pale green embroidered silk. Her hat of white velvet will be trimmed with ostrich feathers and she will wear a brown squirrel jacket and brown accessories.

Mrs. Ray Williston, wife of the minister of lands and forests, will wear a dressmaker suit of sandalwood tone with matching hat and black accessories. A black velvet suit with matching hat and a beaver fur stole will be worn to the opening by Mrs. Ralph Chetwynd, wife of the minister of agriculture and fisheries. Mrs. Kenneth Kiernan, wife of the minister of mines, will be wearing a black dressmaker suit with pink accessories.

MODEL HATS

Mrs. Leslie R. Peterson, wife of the new minister of education, will wear a black suit with an original model hat of white velvet. Her earrings and necklace will be pearls and her accessories black and white.

Mrs. Lyle Wicks, wife of the minister of labor and railroads, has chosen a gold-toned suit with white hat and gloves and brown shoes and bag.

Mrs. Eric Martin, wife of the minister of health and welfare, will wear a grey wool suit with black accessories and a turquoise hat. She will complement her ensemble with a grey fur jacket.

Mrs. P. A. Gagliardi, wife of the minister of lands and highways, will wear a black wool suit, fashioned with short jacket and dolman sleeves. Her Parisian hat is in pale pink, with a matching pink ostrich plume.

Miss Ruth MacLean has chosen a navy blue ensemble.

Mrs. Thomas Irwin will wear a Persian lamb coat over a black dress, with a white feather plateau hat and black accessories.

To the opening of the House, Mrs. Percy B. Scurrah, wife of Victoria's mayor, will wear an ensemble of colony beige Swiss lace, re-embroidered in gold with melusine hat and accessories on tone. She will complement her ensemble with a mink stole.

Mrs. H. F. Pullen, wife of flag officer, Pacific coast, plans to wear a deep mauve heather tweed suit, complemented by silver blue mink fur. Her hat, of taupe straw fabric, has a self-drape and opalescent and rhinestone trim.

CHERRY RED SUIT
Mrs. C. W. Harvison has chosen a dressmaker suit of cherry red with black hat and accessories. A midnight blue silk suit will be worn by Mrs. A. D. MacFarlane, with a red hat and accessories.

Mrs. H. Alan MacLean, wife of newest Justice of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, has chosen a black silk suit with an attractive spring hat of black baronette straw with pink French roses. She will wear a brown squirrel shortie coat. To the opening, Mrs. J. E. W. Bordeleau, will wear a black costume, with white hat and accessories and a fur coat. Mrs. J. C. Thow will wear a green French suit with camel hair coat, a brown hat and accessories. Jewelry will be a jade clip. Mrs. Ron Worley will wear a black cashmere coat, with white furry hat and black accessories.

Mrs. J. Alan Baker, wife of the president of the Victoria Bar Association, will wear a grey wool sheath with grey and white straw hat, black accessories and a squirrel coat. A two-piece broadie ensemble in dusky rose shade will be worn by Mrs. R. J. M. Smith. Her hat will be rose and her accessories black.

Mrs. Stuart Keate will wear a Louis Schrier original suit of chiffon-weight doeksin in creamy-yellow shade, with mink collar. Her matching hat will be turban style with cognac-hue jewel trim. She will wear earrings to match the hat-trim.

Mrs. H. B. Twiss has chosen a grey jersey suit with black hat and accessories and a lamb fur coat.

Mrs. C. E. Walls will wear a grey suit with corsage of gardenias, a pink hat and pink gloves to the opening.

Women

Editor

Elizabeth Forbes

Mainland Holiday

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Porter of "Havenwood," East Sooke, are spending a holiday on the mainland, where they are visiting Mrs. Porter's brother and sister-in-law, Capt. and Mrs. T. Parkinson, in Vancouver, and other relatives and friends in Seattle, Tacoma and Portland. They expect to return home the end of the week.

Buffet Supper

Mr. and Mrs. David Kinnear of Vancouver, who will be in Victoria for the opening of the legislature and the state ball, will be honor guests, when Mr. and Mrs. William Gilmour, 2540 Colwood Road, entertain at a buffet supper party Friday.

To Hollywood

Miss Valerie Stephens, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. G. D. Stephens, 1455 St. Patrick Street, left today for Hollywood, Calif., where she will spend two weeks visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hooton.

Mexican Holiday

Mr. and Mrs. Kuldeep Bains have returned to their home on Holmes Avenue after a two-week visit to Mexico.

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Parties Before State Ball

Hon. Robert Bonner, attorney-general of British Columbia, and Mrs. Bonner will entertain at their Murray Drive home. Their guests will be Mr. Tom Bate, M.L.A., Point Grey, and Mrs. Bate; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Brown (Mrs. Buda Brown, M.L.A., Point Grey), and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Foules, also of Vancouver.

Hon. Lyle Wicks and Mrs. Wicks will entertain at their home prior to the ball. Among their guests will be Mr. and Mrs. H. Wright of Vancouver and Mr. and Mrs. Basil Alexander of Haney, with whom they will attend the ball.

Hon. Eric Martin and Mrs. Martin will entertain at their home on Midway Road for Vancouver friends, Mr. and Mrs. Les Parson, Mrs. Marie Taylor, Mr. Bert Price, M.L.A., and Mrs. Price, and Mr. and Mrs. William Sands.

Hon. Wesley Black and Mrs. Black will entertain at their home. Guests will be Mr. and Mrs. C. W. R. Harper of Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ovens and Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Boyd of Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cox, 2534 Nottingham Road, are entertaining friends at cocktails at their home. Their guests will be Mr. and Mrs. W. MacGillivray, Mr. and Mrs. T. Sturgess, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bassett and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown.

Mr. Justice H. A. McLean and Mrs. McLean have asked friends to their Dandey Avenue home prior to the ball. Guests will include Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. Rickinson, Dr. and Mrs. G. Amyot, Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Clive Campbell, Assistant Commissioner and Mrs. C. W. Harvison and Superintendent and Mrs. J. R. W. Bordeleau.

Mr. and Mrs. George Masters are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Colin Graham at dinner at their home on St. David Street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Fitzpatrick Dunn will entertain at the Union Club. Their guests will be Mr. George Cumpston, Vancouver, president of the B.C. Institute of Chartered Accountants, and Mrs. Cumpston; Col. C. C. Merritt, V.C., and Mrs. Merritt, Vancouver, and Mr. and Mrs. William Gilmour also are entertaining at a dinner party at the Union Club.

For Rosemary Stewart

A group gift of a lamp was presented to bride-to-be, Miss Rosemary Stewart, at a party held in her honor recently by Mrs. W. R. MacKay and Mrs. J. W. Dobbie, at the latter's home, 381 St. Charles Street. A gladiolus corsage was presented to Miss Stewart, while her mother, Mrs. D. Stewart, and the groom-elect's mother, Mrs. H. Braden, received carnations. Among the guests were Mrs. M. Lloyd, Mrs. D. Hutchinson, Mrs. M. Charlewood, Mrs. E. Nickells, Mrs. E. Stewart, Mrs. C. Stirling, Mrs. M. Holland, Mrs. E. Thompson, Mrs. L. Duncan, Mrs. E. Rhode, Mrs. M. Hutchinson, Mrs. J. Caton, Mrs. S. Walker, Misses A. Newman, Mary Bozina, Heather Stewart, Margie Wilmshurst and Amy Dobbie.

Miss Myrna Smith and Miss Mary Bozina, who will be attendants at Miss Stewart's wedding, were hostesses at Miss Smith's home on Ross Street with a miscellaneous shower. A green and white decorated box held the many gaily-wrapped gifts. Hyacinths in pink and white were in the corsage presented to Miss Stewart, while Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Braden received carnations. Guests at the party included Mrs. M. Hodge, Mrs. W. R. MacKay, Mrs. J. W. Dobbie, Mrs. I. Smith, Misses Marilyn Wilson, Jane Buckle, Heather Stewart, Amy Dobbie, Suzanne Buttery, Barbara Henry, Roberta McKenzie, Doreen Coles, Fay Blaus, Beverley Fellner and Marlene King, Master Duncan MacKay and Master Charlie Smith.

Mrs. R. Griffiths, Mrs. W. Broomfield and Miss Verna Aspray held a miscellaneous shower for Miss Stewart at the Griffiths' home on Hawkes Street, where many gifts were presented to the popular bride-to-be. Present were Mrs. S. Smith, Mrs. D. Aldridge, Mrs. S. Haynes, Mrs. G. Murray, Mrs. Minnie, Mrs. N. Erb, Mrs. E. Waldorf, Misses Win Hawkins, Beverley Frazer, Lois Leinweber, E. M. George, Betty Higgs and Ivy Cowan.

Prominent Guests Arrive

Here today from eastern Canada are Donald Gordon, CMG, LLD, president of the Canadian National Railways, and Mrs. Gordon. They are staying at the Empress Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon will have seats on the floor of the House for the opening of the Legislature Thursday afternoon and will be among guests at the State Ball in Government House on Thursday evening.

Home From Ottawa

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Blandy have returned to Victoria after spending seven weeks in Ottawa with their son and daughter-in-law, Lieut.-Cmdr. Walter Stairs Blandy and Mrs. Blandy and their son-in-law and daughter, Fit. Lieut. H. Craig Miller, and Mrs. Miller. While in Ottawa, Mr. and Mrs. Blandy attended the christening of their two youngest grandchildren, Barbara Jill Blandy and Scott Cameron Miller.

Valentine Shower

A large box, decorated in a St. Valentine's motif, held many gifts for the bride-elect, Miss Diane Douglas, at a shower held in her honor by Mrs. C. T. L. Wigley at her home on Lee Avenue. Red and white carnations were presented to the bride-to-be, while her mother, Mrs. A. Douglas, and the groom-elect's aunt, Mrs. Guy Crowther, received pink and white carnations.

Guests at the party were Mrs. M. Bowes, Mrs. H. W. Grieves, Mrs. Malden, Mrs. MacDonald, Mrs. Ken Gabriel, Mrs. William Corlett, Mrs. Ron Douglas, Mrs. L. Henderson, Mrs. R. J. Russell, Misses Irene Bowes, Diane South, Sherry Wallace and Kathy Bowes and Master Terry Henderson.



LOANED TO UN

Mrs. D. B. Sinclair has been loaned by Canada to take over the post of deputy director of the United Nations' Children's Fund in March. Mrs. Sinclair, a native of Toronto, is the first woman to hold the position. She now is executive assistant to the deputy welfare minister.

MISSIONS GROUPS

United Church Presbyterian Increases Two Allocations

Treasurer's report given by Miss P. More, at this morning's session of the 31st annual meeting, Victoria Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society of the United Church of Canada, convening in Oak Bay United Church, showed total receipts of \$14,222.55. Disbursements were \$14,020.28.

Remitted to the branch office was a sum of \$13,796.03, being an increase of \$878.66 over the previous year. The allocation was \$12,800. A sum of \$13,796.03 was given by the Presbyterian, which leaves \$996.03 for gifts for building advance.

Secretary Mrs. A. T. Humkin announced reports received from 33 auxiliaries and five affiliates with a total membership of 939.

Mrs. W. G. Firth reported 11 baby bands with a membership of 493; nine mission bands total 492 children said Mrs. H. E. Smith; two mission circles with 16 members gave a sum of \$178.25, said Mrs. D. Robinson. Fourteen groups of affiliated Explorers with a membership of 375 gave \$95.25, announced Mrs. F. Brown. Mrs. J. R. Pier reported 38 groups of affiliated Canadian Girls in Training as giving \$119.60.

Other reports were given as follows: Associate members, Mrs. W. B. Johnston; supply, Mrs. H. E. Thomson; community friendship, Mrs. G. S. Mitchell; literature, Miss G. Bedford; missionary monthly and world friendship, Miss C. Lothian; Christian citizenship, Mrs. H. John; press, Mrs. J. W. Stephen and costume, Mrs. G. Beall.

Mrs. E. R. Bewell presided. Worship was taken by Mrs. V. A. Beaumont and a welcome

In Many Fields

Work of the United Church women's missionary societies in various parts of British Columbia was graphically presented at the opening session of the Victoria Presbyterian annual meeting, Tuesday afternoon in Oak Bay United Church. Speakers were Mildred Mossop, Vancouver; Ruth Nelson, R.N., Ahousat; Eunice Peters, Victoria; and Joan Wallace, Nanaimo.

Candidates' work was explained by Mrs. F. E. H. James. Mrs. Bewell presided; worship was taken by Mrs. T. B. McMillan and report of the executive given by Mrs. E. MacGinnis. Book news was reported by Miss G. Bedford. Children of the Chinese kindergarten were present and accompanist was T. Morley Harvey.

Tuesday evening, Rev. Laura Butler gave an address to the delegates who came from many places on Vancouver Island. Color slides of India were shown by Mrs. T. B. MacMillan.

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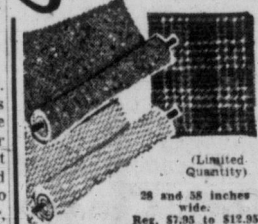
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Student Urges Expansion Of Rotary Fellowship Plan

CHEMAINUS—Rotary International Foundation fellowships are not only assisting bright young students to further their studies in the country of their choice, but are also helping to spread goodwill throughout the world, Rotarians were told this week.

Members of the local club, who contribute annually to the fellowship fund, heard Miss Anne S. Hutchison of Vancouver, District 151's Rotary Foundation Fellow for 1955-56, describe her experiences following two years of study and travel in Europe.

An honors graduate of UBC, Miss Hutchison has just completed one year of study at the University of Strasbourg, France, and one year at the Graduate Institute of International Studies at Geneva, Switzerland. She is currently visiting the various clubs in the district and giving her impressions of two years as a Rotary Fellow.

The fellowships were started in 1947, when 30 top students were sent abroad to study, the student said. Problem of selecting Foundation Fellows now is a little complex with Rotary Clubs established in some 99 countries of the world.

"The Rotary Fellow is an ambassador of goodwill. He takes a little of his own country to the one he is to study in, and must bring back his impressions of that country and its people to you," she said.

Delegates to the synod are Mr. Howland, Capt. Gibson, Mr. Blandy, Mr. McCoubrey and Mr. Key, with A. J. M. Rounds, Mr. Williamson and P. L. James, as alternates.

TWO FOR THE SHOW

By PHIL LEE

RE "BABY DOLL"—Certainly this column has no quarrel with B.C.'s movie censor R. W. MacDonald's decision to ban—because of its gaudy publicity—the controversial "Baby Doll," described by those who have seen it as "well done trash."

That's what he is paid to do—keep offensive motion pictures from entering the province.

Certainly he, and his two board members cannot be considered prudish. In the five years Mr. MacDonald has held office "Baby Doll" is only the second picture that has been banned.

Adult pictures such as "The Moon is Blue," banned by the Catholic League of Decency and barred by some Canadian provinces and in some areas of the United States, have been allowed in.

A picture that one might expect to be seen by British Columbians without endangering public morals he cancelled because it had engendered "too much publicity."

Surely if it was thought possible in the first instance the publicity attending "Baby Doll" should not have altered the case at all as far as Mr. MacDonald's jurisdiction went.

Main point of all this is, should there be censorship at all? Are we adults or are we children? If the latter, who is to say we are children? And who is to say who is adult enough to judge what we are to see and hear?

Also, let's be consistent about the whole matter. Let's censor TV. Heavens knows it could stand it at times. Let's censor our books, our plays, even our paintings.

OF COURSE, this would be impossible. It simply wouldn't be permitted. Nor would it be good. For where would it end? Depending upon the censor anything that strove to paint life as it is and not what it is hoped to be would be milk-and-watered down until nothing could be written pictorialized, painted or enacted that had any message whatsoever.

Our own thought on the matter, for what it is worth, is that we should copy the British method of slapping a nice big fat "X" on all motion picture advertising of an adult nature. This warns those who don't like this sort of thing to stay away. Above all it tells parents that this is not suitable fare for their offspring.

Theatre managements would be up for heavy fine for allowing the young to go in.

Then let the "Baby Dolls" roll in. "Trash" has its own way of defeating itself and, after awhile, the studios' own code and the need of making money would set things right.

GERMAN CARS

Ten factories producing passenger autos in West Germany had a total 1956 output of 960,000 units.

IT WOULD SEEM that in this instance the only fair criticism that can be levelled against Mr. MacDonald and his board is that he committed the unpardonable sin of refereeing. After coming to a decision and announcing it he changed his mind.

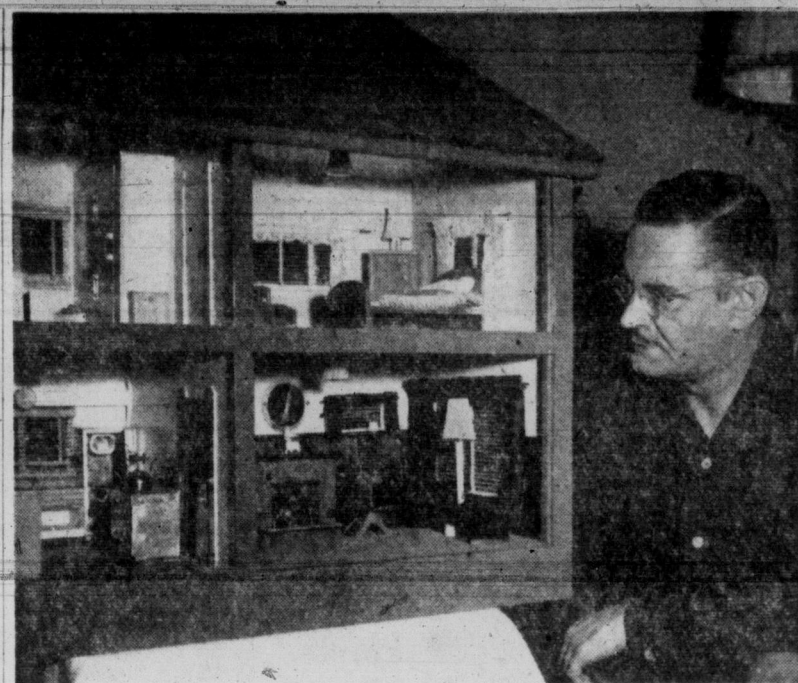


ENGLISH GHOSTS GO MODERN

With its ancient manors and foggy streets England has always been a HAPPY HAUNTING ground for ghosts.

Today an R.A.F. Canteen stands on the site of a ruined abbey; BBC studios have replaced a haunted house; Scotland Yard trains recruits in an ancient chateau—BUT the ghosts are still there! In fact one has even taken over a subway.

Read "Ghosts In Modern Haunts" in this week's issue of the Star Weekly. The New STAR WEEKLY



Leighton McMicking surveys his handiwork of six years.

SIX YEARS OF PAINSTAKING EFFORT COMPLETED

'I Guess I Just Went Overboard' Says Builder of \$1,500 Dollhouse

By DINAH KERR

Leighton McMicking of 1647 Ross has finished building his house and laid down his tools.

Counting in material and labor through the evenings of six winters, he has valued the wooden four-room structure at \$1,500.

And no amount of money would induce him to build another.

"I've had it," he announced.

The 30" by 24" doll's house, a masterpiece of true-to-life styling, was completed in time for Patricia McMicking's 10th Christmas. She ordered the house when she was four years old.

A provincial auditor and amateur carpenter, Mr. McMicking doesn't know when building the house became an obsession with him.

He laid linoleum in kitchen, bathroom and bedroom and

wall-to-wall green carpeting in the living room.

For three months he labored over an imitation granite chimney and fireplace sprayed with 30 layers of sand.

Painstakingly he checked the roof with 800 Duroid shingles and stuccoed the walls. Everything in the house, except bathroom fixtures and a vase of flowers, was constructed by hand.

This includes a refrigerator with freezing unit, tin stove, color TV set with mirrored corners ("better than the one we have," said Mrs. McMicking), green chandelier suite, blond furniture in the bedroom and walnut tables and bookcases in the living room.

The house is bright with tiny lights covered by the plastic tops of medicine bottles or small lampshades.

Right down to the Venetian blinds joined by beads, the house is a homemaker's dream.

FILM FLICKS

Don't Go Near The Water' Gets Navy Blessing

—By BOB THOMAS HOLLYWOOD (AP) Film.

Land notes and comments: Insiders suspected the Navy would blow its stacks over the best-seller "Don't Go Near the Water," a hilarious account of public relations in the Pacific war. Such is not the case. The brass okayed full cooperation for filming by MGM, though the Navy's public relations officers aren't too happy about the subject.

"You can look for a reconciliation any day now." That's the confident word of Aldo Ray concerning his renewed wooing of Jeff Donnell. Though they've separated four times and she has sued for divorce, they are dining together almost nightly. Aldo is making a strong pitch to come home again.

"Me play Las Vegas? Never," says Bing Crosby, one of the few remaining holdouts. The groaner remarked that he doesn't want to be connected with a gambling operation.

The Bastille by the Bay column of the San Quentin News, reports that prisoners got a big laugh out of a scene in Hell on Frisco Bay. Alan Ladd strolled out of the prison after five years inside and greeted Joanne Dru's welcoming embrace "with a steely-eyed, tense-jawed, 'I told you to get a divorce.'"

OPERATORS' MOAN

The Paramount switchboard girls are moaning because they get about 500 phone calls daily from teen-agers inquiring about Elvis Presley, who is working there. The operators report the kids are polite, even when told Elvis can't come to the phone.

A happy picture is Happy Road, which Gene Kelly made in Europe. He has put a lot of wonderful touches in the film, many of them stemming back to silent movies. Worth seeing.

Travellers on Bob Hope's Alaska junket are still recalling one of life's embarrassing moments. That was when a general commented to Ginger Rogers about seeing her on the screen 30 years ago "when you were a big star." Ginger, who looks better than many starlets, tried to laugh it off. But the general insisted he remembered the film "because you played Irene Dunne's mother."

MEMORIAL ARENA SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 6

Cougars—9:30-10:30 a.m.
Royal Roads—12:2 p.m.
V.F.S.C. (Gen.)—3:30-5:30 p.m.
Minor Hockey—5:30-7 p.m.
V.F.S.C. (Sr.)—8-10 p.m.
Govt. Employees—10-11 p.m.

THURSDAY, FEB. 7

Minor Hockey—7-9:30 a.m.
Cougars—9:30-10:30 a.m.
Beginners—2-3 p.m.
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WINNIPEG (CP) — The Royal Winnipeg Ballet, Canada's oldest professional ballet group, takes to the road today for a three-week tour through Western Canada and the northwestern United States.

The company will take a blend of classical and modern ballets to folk in Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia, Washington and Montana. It will present distinctive Canadian choreography in high schools, civic auditoriums and city theatres.

The tour opens at Melville, Sask., tonight. It was on this date four years ago that the Queen granted the ballet permission to use "royal" in its name.

Artistic director Mrs. Betty Farally will head a group of 25 on the trip. Ruthanna Boris and Frank Hobi will lead 15 dancers, including 11-year-old Jane Adams, around whom has been built a fantasy, "The Wanderling." The ballet, performed recently in Winnipeg for the first time, will be seen at Edmonton, Trail, B.C., Vancouver and Seattle.

For many of the young dancers, the tour means a long-awaited reunion with parents, relatives and friends.

Ted Patterson, 24-year-old dancer from Edmonton, has not been home for two years. He will stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Patterson.

"We make more money on tour," said Ted. "Thirty to forty dollars a week isn't much to live on."

Salaries for the group range from \$25 to \$45 a week for the September-February season, during which the dancers work a six-

day, five-night schedule each week.

Another dancer, Marina Katronis, will live with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Katronis, while the company is in Vancouver.

Vancouver will also be home for Kit Copping, Beverly Barkley and Margaret Grant, while Marsha Wardall comes from Seattle.

A stage manager, three stage crew, a wardrobe mistress, and two pianists, one of whom is the company's musical director, Robert Drumm, make up the rest of the touring group. Schoolbooks will go along for Jane Adams and 15-year-old Virginia Wakelyn.

The tour is Virginia's first. Born in Banff, Alta., she studied ballet in Toronto and when the tour ends she will return to St. Mildred's School there to complete Grade 11 schooling.

The ballet's itinerary includes: Feb. 15, Trail, B.C.; Feb. 18, Vancouver; Feb. 20, Wenatchee, Wash.; Feb. 23, Seattle; Feb. 25, Helena, Mont.; Feb. 28, Yakima.

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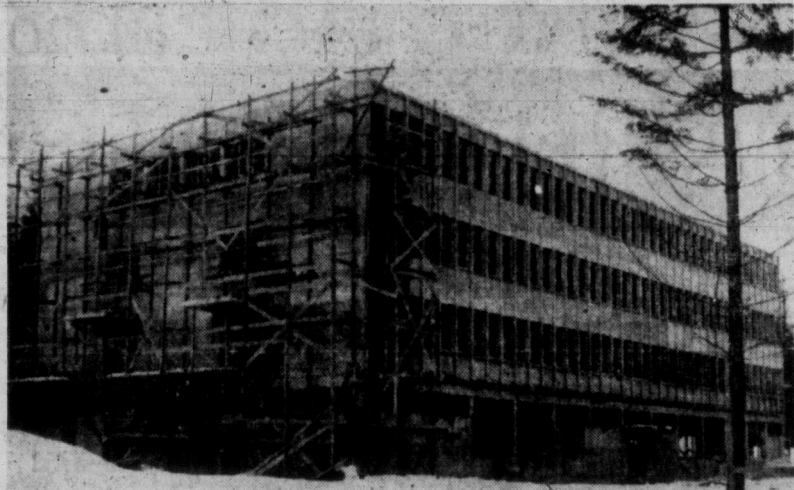
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SNOW AND ARCTIC WEATHER have failed to halt work on new \$910,000 Campbell River and District Hospital, under construction on five-and-a-half-acre site donated by village of Campbell River, and completion date is set for June. It will serve area cor-

responding roughly to School District 72. Hospital will have 60 beds, provision for additional story and will command fine view of Discovery Passage. Tenders have just been called for nurses' home. (Times photo)

M & B NET PROFITS DROP IN OYSTER BAY, BOWSER AREAS \$1 MILLION; SALES UP

VANCOUVER (CP)—Net profit for Macmillan & Bloedel Ltd. in the quarter ending Dec. 31 dropped more than \$1,000,000 despite an increase of \$700,000 in the lumber company's sales.

President H. S. Berryman said Tuesday in a quarterly shareholders report that net for the period was \$3,276,937, or 62 cents a share, compared with \$4,345,993, or 82 cents a share, for the corresponding period in 1955.

He said sales advanced \$700,000 to \$39,933,889 but "prices of all products except pulp were markedly lower."

PENALTY FOR GRAVE ROBBERY INCREASED IN PENNSYLVANIA

HARRISBURG, Pa. (AP)—The state Senate has passed a bill to increase the penalties for grave robbing in Pennsylvania. Under amendments passed unanimously Tuesday the fine for tampering illegally with a buried body or damaging cemetery property would be increased to \$5,000 from \$1,000 and the maximum prison term raised to three years from one.

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—by Byrne Hope Sanders

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New Work Slated For Tofino Road

COURTENAY — Equipment has been ordered to provide automatic telephone service to Black Creek and Oyster Bay to the north, and Qualicum Bay, Dashwood and Bowser to the south, according to W. S. Pipes, E.C. Telephone Co. vice-president and general manager.

The two systems will cost about \$100,000 each, he said, and the company hopes to have them in operation this year.

This sum will cover the erection of a building in the Oyster Bay area, the provision of automatic equipment, the installation of long distance circuits to Courtenay, and the erection of poles and wires to carry the service to subscribers.

The boundaries of the new exchange will extend from the northern edge of the Courtenay exchange to the southern edge of the Campbell River exchange, thereby eliminating toll station service in the area.

Information, assistance and long distance service will be provided by operators located in Courtenay.

In his announcement on the Qualicum project, Mr. Pipes said: "Erection of outside distribution plant—airial cable, wire and pole lines—will get under way almost immediately. The automatic equipment has been ordered and we hope it will arrive in time to get the service working before the end of the year."

It also will include the erection of a building in the Qualicum area, the provision of automatic equipment, the installation of long distance circuits to Nanaimo and the erection of poles and wires to carry the service to subscribers.

The boundaries of the new exchange will extend from the northern edge of the Qualicum exchange to the southern edge of the Union Bay exchange, thereby eliminating toll station service in the area.

There will be no operators located in Qualicum Bay. Long distance and assistance calls will be handled by operators in Nanaimo.

New Phone Systems To Cost \$200,000

A key section of the Alberni-Tofino road, which will be built by the provincial government, it scheduled to be started next June.

This assurance was given on Tuesday by Highways Minister P. A. Gagliardi to a delegation from the Associated Chambers of Commerce of Vancouver Island.

The section is between Kennedy Lake and Taylor River. Mr. Gagliardi said the Sprout Lake section of the road now being built by Macmillan & Bloedel should be completed about this time. The government's construction could not be started until then.

He also assured the delegation that extension of the Island Highway north from Campbell River to the northern tip of the Island is in the planning stage.

"We were encouraged to learn that the government is going ahead with these vital projects," said T. B. Hargreaves of Campbell River, who led the seven-man delegation.

The delegation suggested an alternate Island highway out of Victoria which would by-pass the Malahat.

"Mr. Gagliardi told us this idea would have to be studied closely before any definite decision could be reached," Mr. Hargreaves said.

The delegates also called on Lands and Forests Minister Ray Williston to request that the federal government set aside a section of seashore for development of a salt water park at the northern end of the Island.

"After discussion we decided that members of the delegation should themselves look for suitable land before any action is taken," said Arnold Webb, secretary of Victoria Chamber of Commerce.

Plywood Mill Reopens At Port Alberni

PORT ALBERNI—Work has resumed at the Alberni Plywood Division of Macmillan and Bloedel Ltd., following a week-long shutdown because of adverse weather.

About 800 persons have returned to work in the mill. The mill was closed because the extreme cold weather made cutting of veneer impossible.

\$170,483 Estate Left By Miss Kate Galt

An estate evaluated at \$170,483 was left by Miss Kate Galt, formerly of 830 Pemberton Road, a daughter of a father of Confederation, Alexander Galt. The will was probated in Supreme Court Tuesday.

Miss Galt, who died on Dec. 1, of last year, bequeathed her estate to friends and relatives.

Mrs. Hawthornthwaite Buried in Nanaimo

NANAIMO—Funeral services were held Monday for Mrs. Elizabeth Hawthornthwaite, 85, who died Friday in hospital.

Born in Nanaimo, she was the daughter of the late Mark Bate, first mayor of Nanaimo. She was the widow of James Hawthornthwaite, MLA for the constituency of Nanaimo from 1901 to 1908, and 1909 to 1912, and of Newcastle from 1913 to 1921, who died in 1928.

She was a charter member of the IODE here and a member of Crescent Chapter, OES.

Surviving are four sons, Allan, Victoria; William, Nanaimo; Gilbert, Cedar; and James, Duncan; three daughters, Mrs. R. Burton, Nanaimo; Mrs. J. Spooner, Port Alberni; and Mrs. V. DeBeck, Nanaimo; a brother, John Bate, in San Diego, and two sisters, Mrs. Lucy Davies, Seattle, and Mrs. Mary Heathcote, Port Alberni.

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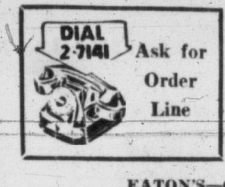
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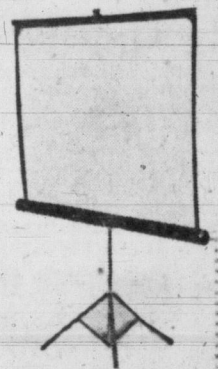
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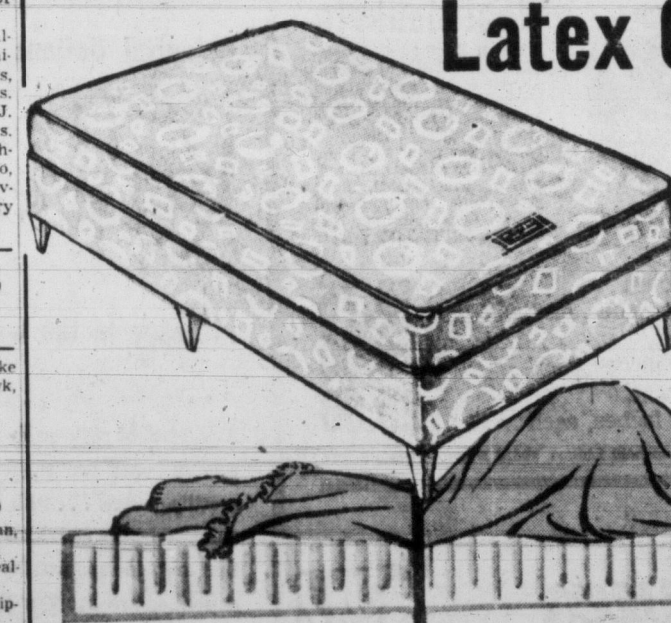
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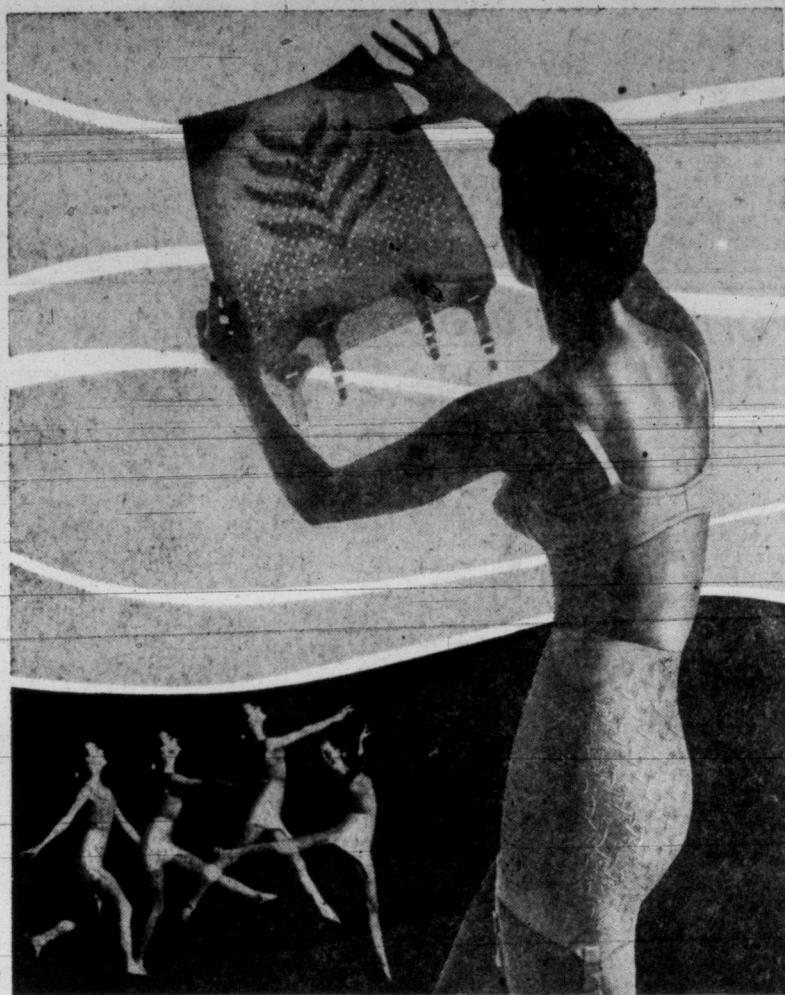
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Among many talented Hungarians seeking refuge in B.C. are these two musicians, oboist Zoltan Roman and viola player John Csaba. Both will audition for the Victoria Symphony, and Roman needs loan of an oboe.

Hans Gruber, symphony conductor, is assisting in attempt to find instrument. The Hungarians are staying at the home of Dr. J. W. Anderson, 3026 McAnnally. Third musician, a flautist, arrives here Thursday. — (Times photo)

Israel Unveils New Formula To End Mid-East Deadlock

3-Point Proposal Revealed to UN

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (CP) — Israel disclosed today she has submitted a three-point proposal to UN Secretary-General Dag Hammarskjöld aimed at breaking her deadlock with Egypt.

An Israeli spokesman said the plan involved:

1. A declaration that Israel will co-operate with any UN effort designed to establish peace in the trouble area, based on the principles of the UN charter.

2. A request to Hammarskjöld to ask Egypt whether she agrees to mutual abstention from belligerent acts by land, sea and air upon withdrawal of Israeli troops.

3. A reference to the Sharm el Sheikh sector commanding Akaba gulf, and the stated question of measures designed to end interference with free navigation in the straits of Tiran and Akaba.

The announcement came as President Eisenhower told his Washington press conference he believes Israel will withdraw its forces from both the Gaza Strip and the Gulf of Akaba.

SUEZ SPEEDUP

In another phase of the Middle East crisis, Britain, and France arranged to call on Hammarskjöld to press for early resumption of talks seeking a speedup in the delayed Suez Canal settlement.

These developments were disclosed as a new and stronger attitude against Israel by the U.S. has led to speculation in UN circles that big-power pressure might be applied by Washington in the dispute between Egypt and Israel.

Hammarskjöld, working on the basis of a vaguely worded resolution passed last weekend by the General Assembly, has not been able to satisfy Israel that her interests will be protected by the UN if she pulls her troops out of the two key areas she is still holding in defiance of another resolution calling on her to withdraw without delay.

OTTAWA (CP) — The Citizen newspaper says Israel has cancelled her order for 24 Canadian-built Sabre jet fighters, placed last September.

The \$7,200,000 aircraft order, on which Israel had taken "technical acceptance" of eight of the aircraft, built by Canadair Ltd., Montreal, has been in a state of suspension since Israel invaded Egypt last October. The paper says Israel has been repaid \$2,000,000 she had advanced on the order.

GUNS DRAWN, POLICE TAKE 'WANTED MAN'

TORONTO (CP) — Police with drawn guns today raided a house in suburban Weston and arrested Edwin McDonald, sought for nine months after he jumped \$50,000 bail rather than face trial on narcotics charges.

McDonald, 31, was one of Canada's 10 most-wanted men. He was captured without a fight by eight RCMP officers and a group of Toronto detectives.

McDonald has been missing since last May when he was due to appear in court here on charges of possessing narcotics for trafficking and conspiracy to possess narcotics.

McDonald is the brother of the notorious Donald (Mickey) McDonald, who escaped from Kingston penitentiary in 1947 with two other men and hasn't been recaptured. Police believe he may be dead. One of the men who escaped with him, Nicholas Minelli, was later captured in California. The other, Ulysses Lauzon, was found slain in a Mississippi swamp.



EDWIN McDONALD

KILLED ON ICY NEW BRUNSWICK ROAD

Mother 'Knew' Carol Was Dead; Four Teenagers Victims of Crash

FREDERICTON (CP) — Four teenagers, three boys and a girl, were killed Tuesday night when their new car left the road and sheared off a telephone pole near Harvey Station, 25 miles from here.

Two others were seriously injured. RCMP identified the dead as Carol Ann Brown, 17; Douglas Deep, 16; Raymond Ferris, 17; and Patson Gale Currie, 16, all of Fredericton.

Injured were Leta Dykeman, Jemseg, N.B., and Thomas Meating, Fredericton.

PRAYER FOR TODAY

Our Father, we thank thee that we do not make our way alone through this world. Always underneath and round about us are thy everlasting arms. Faces may change, conditions may alter, but thou art the same, endless in thy pitying grace. May this agonized assurance take fresh possession of us today; through Christ, our Lord, Amen.

It was not known who was driving. Tearful Mrs. Sam Brown said her daughter Carol "coaxed" to borrow the family car in which she and three young companions rode to their deaths.

"Carol had only been driving

since June and we never let her take the car on icy roads," Mrs. Brown said. "But we have no bus service and she wanted to apply for a part-time job. She promised to be back by 10:30 p.m."

"When she didn't come home I knew there was something wrong; and when the police car drove into my yard the Mountie didn't have to say a thing. I knew Carol was dead."

U.K. Supports France in UN On Algeria

NEW YORK (CP) — Britain today joined France in opposing any United Nations interference in the Algerian problem.

Allan Noble, British minister of state, told the General Assembly's political committee the Algerian question falls within the domestic jurisdiction of France and the UN has no competence in the matter.

Gulf Ferry Firm Wins Subsidy From Province

The B.C. Cabinet today authorized a grant of \$500 a month to Coast Ferries Ltd., Vancouver, to assist operation of its water transport service between Vancouver and Ganges, Salt Spring Island, with calls at Steveston, Galiano, Mayne, North Pender and Saturna Islands.

IT'S GETTING WARMER, BUT SLEET POSSIBLE

Temperatures are rising slowly above the freezing level, and will remain comparatively warm tonight and Thursday, according to weatherman William Mackie.

He predicted a minimum of 33 degrees tonight, and a maximum of 38 degrees Thursday.

A small storm moving southward will bring precipitation overnight, with partial clearing Thursday afternoon.

"It may fall as rain and snow mixed," he said, "but it should stop by noon Thursday."

King Saud Endorses Ike Plan

WASHINGTON (AP) — King Saud of Saudi Arabia said today President Eisenhower's Middle East proposal "is a good one which is entitled to consideration and appreciation" of Arab countries.

Saud disclosed his view at a hastily-arranged press conference.

This was the first direct and open statement he had made on the plan for standby authority for the president to use American military force against overt Communist aggression in the Middle East, and to provide \$200,000,000 a year in U.S. arms and economic aid there.

LEBANON'S PLEDGE

Saud's declaration came on the heels of a pledge from Lebanon's Foreign Minister Malik to seek support among the Arab states for the Eisenhower plan.

Malik, after a visit to Eisenhower, said he had given that assurance to the president. At the same time, however, Malik said: "Nobody knows more than I do how difficult it will be to win full Arab co-operation."

King Saud said he expects to reach an agreement with Eisenhower before leaving Washington this weekend on the continued U.S. use of the Dhahran air base in his country.

The resolution to carry out Eisenhower's plan, meanwhile, entered the final Senate stage.

Russia Charges U.S. Waging 'Secret War'



FLEDGLING MLAs LEARN ROPES

New members of B.C.'s 25th legislature were busy "learning the ropes" today in preparation for Thursday's session opening. Government member

George Massey of Delta (left) here shakes hands with sergeant-at-arms Denzil Ashby, while Mrs. Buda Brown and Sacred whip Bert Price look on.

PREMIER ENTERTAINS FOLLOWERS AT LUNCHEON

MLAs Arrive for House Opening; Socreds Caucus at Empress Hotel

MLAs from all corners of the province converged on Victoria today in readiness for the opening of the B.C. Legislature by Lieut.-Governor Frank Ross at 3 p.m. Thursday.

Many went direct to the Legislative Buildings where they were formally sworn in by E. K. DeBeck, clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Among the first arrivals were Francis Richter (SC, Similkameen); Richard Newton (SC, Columbia); Tom Uphill (Independent Labor, Fernie); Cyril Shelford (SC, Okanagan); Irvine Corbett (SC, Yale); Donald Robinson (SC, Lillooet); George Massey, the new Sacred member for Delta.

With Mrs. Buda Brown, new Social Credit member for Vancouver-Point Grey, the Social Crediters held a brief informal meeting with government party whip Bert Price before attending a private luncheon in the Georgian lounge at the Empress Hotel, where Premier Bennett entertained all of his party members.

Immediately after lunch, a party caucus was held at which the premier outlined the government's legislative program for the coming session.

Most of the Socreds said they believed this would be "the most constructive session" yet held.

Mr. Newton said all of his supporters in the Columbia Valley want the power installation at the Mica Creek Dam to be given to the B.C. Power Commission.

"We do not care who builds the dam as long as the Power Commission has the installation. If we had the Mica Creek Dam, we could build a pulp mill north of Golden which would utilize over-mature timber in the Big Bend area."

Mr. Newton said he will also press for dredging of the Col-

umbia River with a view to reclaiming 54,000 acres of land in the Columbia Valley which could be used for farming—particularly sugar beet.

Mr. Richter, from Similkameen which includes part of the Okanagan Valley, will ask that the Distressed Areas Act be extended to cover damage done to the fruit industry during the 1955-56 season.

He will also urge the provincial government to press Ottawa for extension of the federal Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act to cover river control and irrigation in B.C.

Party whip Bert Price will move to get a measure of control on future bingo games. He will suggest the 10 per cent amusement tax be charged on bingo, chiefly so that the government can have some form of gauging the extent of the game in B.C.

Hungarian Relief Fund Tops Quota

TORONTO (CP) — The Canadian Hungarian relief fund announced Tuesday it has topped its national objective of \$500,000 by raising \$512,071.

CCF HITS 'CHRISTMAS GIFTS'

Bennett Wall St. Santa CCF Chief Strachan Claims

VANCOUVER (CP) — CCF provincial leader Robert Strachan said Tuesday night his party will try to stop the Social Credit government from making what he termed "Christmas gifts" of B.C.'s natural resources.

Mr. Strachan told a rally here that Wall Street circles refer to Premier Bennett as "Santa Claus."



LAND PROBE HEAD

Senator C. G. (Chubby) Power, 69-year-old lawyer and wartime air minister, will head the 26-man Senate committee to investigate land-use.

The committee was formed on recommendation of Prime Minister St. Laurent who indicated he is particularly concerned about sub-marginal agricultural land.

Sabotage, Spying Alleged

LONDON (UP) — The Soviet government tonight accused the United States of "sending spies and saboteurs" into Russia in a "secret war" against communism.

An official statement issued by the Soviet foreign ministry in Moscow leveled the charges against what it termed the "aggressive quarters of the U.S.A."

Western correspondents in Moscow were summoned to receive the strongly-worded statement from Leonid Ilychev, foreign ministry press chief.

The statement was broadcast by Radio Moscow and monitored in London.

"The sending of spies and saboteurs is known to be a form of struggle used by forces hostile to the U.S.S.R. with the purpose of attaining their anti-popular goals," the statement said.

OFFICIAL POLICY

"In our times, the aggressive quarters of the U.S.A. are coming out as the inspirers and chief organizers of the so-called secret war against the U.S.S.R. and the other socialist states, against all the sovereign and independent nations," it was quoted.

"For the first time in history they have raised to the level of an official policy subversive activity against countries unsuitable for them, gross interference in the home affairs of nations both big and small," the statement said.

Price Controls Looming, Ike Warns

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower said today the government will have to institute some form of controls if business and labor fail to deal with the problem of inflation adequately on a voluntary basis.

The president, at a press conference, did not specify what type of controls he had in mind. On the matter of inflation, Eisenhower was reminded that in his January state of the union message he called on both business and labor leaders to co-operate in a voluntary drive to check spiraling prices.

CNR's GORDON KNOWS NOUGHT OF 'PGE' DEAL

CNR president Donald Gordon arrived at Patricia Bay airport at noon today for Thursday's opening of the B.C. Legislature.

He said in Vancouver he knew nothing about reports that the CNR may purchase the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, owned by the B.C. government.

He said he was making the trip because Premier W. A. C. Bennett had invited him to attend the Legislature opening, and "because I want to see my old friend, Lieutenant-Governor Frank Ross."



RUSSIAN LEADERS GET TOGETHER

Russian Deputy Premier Lazar Kaganovich, right, chats with Georgi Malenkov, ex-premier and present minister of power, before bank of flowers in Moscow Tuesday night during meeting of Moscow construction workers. Watch-

ing proceedings are Communist party secretary Nikita Khrushchev, left, and Premier Nikolai Bulganin. Soviet leaders gathered today in semi-annual session of Supreme Soviet. — (AP wire-photo)

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Soviet Economic Plan Hits Snag

Production Goals for '57 Indicate Original Five-Year Plan Is Failure

NEW YORK (AP)—The Kremlin's production goals for 1957 give a good indication of how greatly the sixth five-year plan over-estimated the Soviet Union's ability to expand output.

Stolen Lumber Case Going To High Court

Romeo (Frenchie) Comeau, 360 Ker, today was committed for trial in a higher court on a charge of retaining stolen property—two loads of lumber valued at \$500.

Magistrate H. C. Hall made the order in city police court following a preliminary hearing Tuesday.

The Crown alleges that Comeau retained the lumber which was stolen from B.C. Forest Products Jan. 11.

GUILTY PLEA

Ronald Hodge, 590 Boleskin, a truck driver for Western Lumber Carriers, has admitted stealing the lumber and will be sentenced later.

Hodge originally pleaded not guilty but changed his plea to guilty Tuesday and defence counsel James Proudfoot said he would ask for a probation report.

Hodges, who was hauling the lumber to Ogden Point Dock for export shipment, admitted taking two loads to the Dalziel Box Co. yard where it was left for a week.

Comeau, foreman at the Victoria Retail Lumber Co., is alleged to have picked up the lumber with a carrier and taken it to his firm's yard at 1901 Government.

Detectives Angus Munro and Alex Briggs testified they found that the ends of the large-size lumber had been sawn off.

Hodge previously admitted obliterating the B.C. Forest Products markings with black ink.

Hodge was called as a defence witness by Lloyd McKenzie, counsel for Comeau, and said he had never talked directly to Comeau about the lumber.

Hodge received no money for the lumber, court was told.

Six-Months-Old Baby Suffocated by Cat

VENICE, Italy (Reuters)—

A six-months-old baby, Milena Marangon, was suffocated here by a cat which climbed into her cradle and curled up asleep on her face.

DUKE SHAVEN CLEAN NOW NEARS QUEEN

GIBRALTAR (Reuters)—The Duke of Edinburgh arrived here today aboard the royal yacht Britannia—minus the beard he had grown during his Commonwealth world tour.

The duke will spend nine days here before going on to Portugal to meet the Queen.

The Queen and the duke will spend two days aboard the Britannia before sailing for Lisbon for their three-day state visit, starting Feb. 18.

Farm Hand Committed In B.C. Gun Slaying

LANGLEY, B.C. (CP)—Ernest John Gardiner, 20-year-old Penticton farm hand, will stand trial on a charge of murder in the death Aug. 10 of James Martin, 45.

Martin, formerly of Ontario, was shot at the Sunnymede Farm near here. A nine-year-old boy discovered his body Dec. 27 on the banks of the Nicomekl River.

An autopsy showed Martin had been shot in the head by a .22-calibre rifle.

Gardiner, represented by Dudley Edwards, reserved his defence Tuesday when deputy magistrate A. E. Roberts ordered him committed for trial at the New Westminster assizes.

Mrs. Louise Moormea, a sister of the accused, said Tuesday Gardiner left a .22-calibre rifle at her Langley home late in October. She said her brother told her he brought the gun from Penticton where he had gone for a holiday.

An RCMP firearms expert testified earlier that this rifle could not have fired the bullet that killed Martin.

A second .22-calibre gun borrowed by the accused from a youth in the Langley district "probably" fired the fatal shot, the expert said. Both guns were entered as exhibits.

Monty Gilchrist, 13, of Victoria, said he saw Gardiner coming from a home near the Sunnymede farm with what

FAMED TENOR

John Coates, the English singer who died in 1941, began his career as a choir boy in Yorkshire.

looked like a rifle in his car. The boy said he couldn't be sure of the date but believed it was some time in July when he was holidaying with relatives in the area.

Unity Move By Italian Socialists

VENICE (AP)—Pietro Nenni arrived here for his Italian Socialist party congress today declaring he is through playing with the Communists.

Four of international socialism's leaders are sitting in on the week-long sessions of the Italian party to judge how clean a break Nenni may make with his Red allies of the last 10 years.

If they are convinced he has split all the way, the congress may lead to a reunification of Italian socialism that would change the country's political picture.

A clean break from the Communist alliance and support of NATO was the price set by Vice-Premier Giuseppe Saragat for a reunion of his Social Democrats with Nenni's Socialists.

They split 10 years ago. A united Socialist party might go into the 1958 national elections as the second strongest in Italy. The Christian Democrats now head a four-party government coalition.

NFLD. COMES IN

Ontario, Quebec Now Hold Fate Of Health Plan

OTTAWA (CP)—Newfoundland's approval of federal hospital insurance proposals was announced in the Commons Tuesday, bringing the federal-provincial plan another step closer to reality.

News of the acceptance by Newfoundland, first provincial Liberal government to fall in line with the federal plan, was given to the House by Health Minister Martin.

The announcement was made as Mr. Martin told of continued talks with Ontario and Manitoba, which have not yet accepted the scheme.

Four provinces are ready to enter the plan under which the central government would pay half the cost of standard-ward hospital care and diagnostic services. The others are British Columbia and Alberta, both with Social Credit governments, and CCF-governed Saskatchewan.

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ACROSS THE PROVINCE

PGE Trains Rock Houses, Owners Say

(From CP Dispatches)

WEST VANCOUVER — Taxpayers with grievances against the Pacific Great Eastern Railway have the biggest number of 27 appeals against 1957 tax assessments now being heard here.

When the assessment court of revision opened Monday, L. M. Wiggins, speaking for four home-owners along the PGE's right-of-way, said, "Vibrations of the night freight rolling through rocks our houses."

A. C. Lord complained that PGE trains whistle "long and loud."

James Gardiner, municipal assessor, told the court Mr. Lord went to see officials of the railway. "But he got the brush-off. Since then they seem to blow the whistle twice as loud."

Another resident asked: "How can you honestly increase our taxes with that awful PGE howling past the back door?"

WOODWORKERS JOIN IWA

VANCOUVER — After an interunion struggle that lasted a year, members of B.C. Woodworkers' Union, formerly chartered independently by the old Canadian Congress of Labor, have voted 339 to 146 to join the International Woodworkers of America.

METERS RUNNING WILD

RICHMOND — This municipal council will investigate other means of heating two public works buildings because natural gas "costs too much," B.C. Electric Co. officials Tuesday termed incorrect a council charge that air in natural gas lines "makes meters run wild."

HUGE DEFICIT SEEN

NORTH VANCOUVER — Alderman Derrick Humphreys says that at its increasing rate of revenue loss, the city-owned ferry system could wind up with a \$100,000 deficit this year.

FISHERMEN PLEASED

VANCOUVER — The United Fishermen and Allied Workers' Union (Ind.) Tuesday greeted the Ottawa announcement of an unemployment insurance plan for fishermen as "something we have been fighting for the last 10 years."

MAN FOUND DEAD

TRAIL — The body of a middle-aged man was found on the bank of the Columbia River here Tuesday afternoon by a group of children. Police are withholding identification pending the notification of next of kin.

GOOD SIGN

VANCOUVER — Bruce Harrington, 13, who has been in a coma at Vancouver General Hospital for 51 days, was heard to whisper Tuesday and hospital authorities said he may be awakening. He has been unconscious since a car knocked him from his bicycle Dec. 16.

FARMS TOO SMALL

OSOYOOS — A University of B.C. economist, Elmer Menzie, says individual farms in the interior of the province are too small and are unable to compete economically with larger acreages and their special machinery.

BARKEEPS VOTE TO STRIKE

PRINCE RUPERT — City bartenders have unanimously voted to go on strike for higher wages. The strike vote followed the Prince Rupert Hotel Association's rejection of a conciliation board's award which would have given the bartenders a 15 per cent hike, their first wage increase in four years.

BODY FOUND

VANCOUVER — A body, believed to have been in the water for two or three weeks, was recovered from Burrard Inlet late Tuesday.

FACES MURDER CHARGE

LANGLEY — Ernest John Gardiner, 20, of Penticton, was committed Tuesday for assize court trial at New Westminster following a three-day preliminary hearing here on a murder charge.

PINNED BY SHED

NEWTON — A 63-year-old man, Alex Podkydalio, was critically injured here when the shed he was working on collapsed and pinned him to the ground.

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- Don't leave iron or toaster cords dangling.

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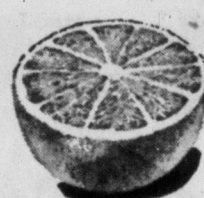
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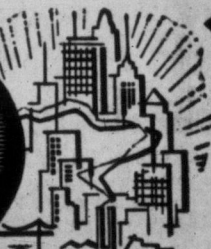
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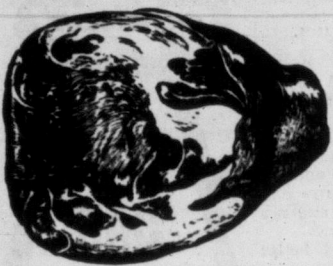
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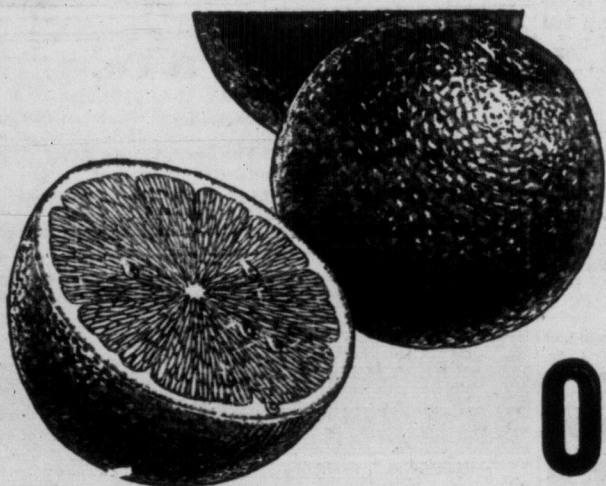
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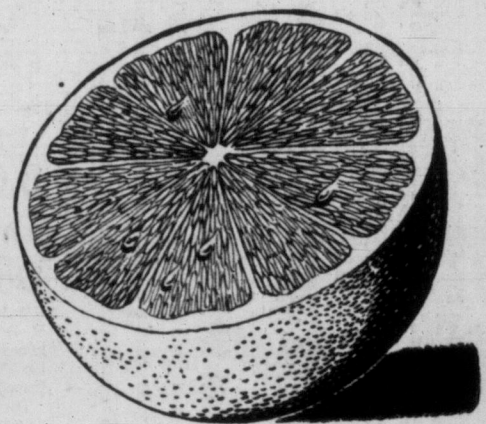
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Green Celery	Imported, fresh, crisp stalks, lb.	19 ^c
Brussels Sprouts	California, Tight green heads, 2 lbs.	49 ^c
Green Cabbage	California, Firm heads, lb.	11 ^c
Topped Carrots	California, Crisp, crunchy, 2 lbs.	25 ^c
Cauliflower	Imported, Snowwhite heads, lb.	25 ^c
Cooking Onions	Oregon, for stews, etc., lb.	11 ^c
Sweet Potatoes	California, Serve candied, 2 lbs.	37 ^c
Hubbard Squash	Local, Serve baked, lb.	9 ^c
No. 1 Turnips	Imported, lb.	5 ^c
Broccoli	California, Tight green heads, lb.	23 ^c

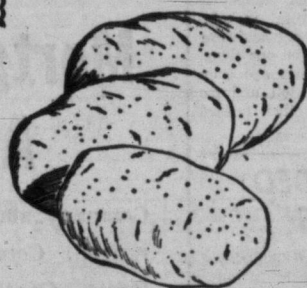
Newtown Apples

Firm and crisp . . . A medium-sized all-purpose apple.

2 lbs. **33^c**

No. 1 Bananas Head Lettuce Field Tomatoes

Golden Ripe 2 lbs. **45^c**
Imported . . . Fresh, Firm Heads lb. **19^c**
Imported, approximate 14-oz. carton **21^c**



Dry Belt Potatoes

No. 1 Local . . .
In cello bag

10 lbs. **49^c**



We reserve the right to limit quantities

Times Photo Unites Hungarian Brothers

A photograph published in the Times has brought about the reunion of two Hungarian refugee brothers.

Stephen and Andrew Balogh, with Andrew's wife, Margite, started their escape from Hungary together. But Andrew and Margite became separated from Stephen, the older brother.

They came to Canada by boat, and eventually reached Victoria, without a clue to Stephen's fate.

Mr. and Mrs. Balogh were invited to stay at the home of Mrs. J. A. Church, 919 Transit. Last Wednesday, in connection with an appeal for Hungarian dictionaries, the Times printed Mrs. Balogh's picture.

Tuesday a letter from Langley Prairie arrived at 919 Transit. It was from Stephen, and explained he had reached Canada by air, and had obtained work on a farm near Langley Prairie.

He had seen Margite's picture in the Times and—although he cannot read English—recognized her. His employers on the farm translated the picture caption and helped him write the letter.

Tuesday evening Mrs. Church arranged a reunion by telephone between the two brothers.

"It was like Christmas and New Year's rolled into one," said Mrs. Church.



MONTE ROBERTS

If anything of consequence appears below, it is purely unintentional.

I can remember the time when I liked to eat an orange. In fact, this time was as recent as yesterday, before I read an advertisement for Sunkist oranges which says oranges contain important bio-flavonoids and protopectins.

Blowed if I can enjoy an orange with bio-flavonoids and protopectins (important or unimportant).

I can't even pronounce 'em, let alone eat 'em.

I continue to have trouble with the cigarette machine at our office.

First the match pack popped out of the machine and said "SMILE."

Then (after I'd recovered from the request to smile at the unholy hour at which I usually buy my cigarettes) the match pack popped out at me and said "THANKS."

Having just about gotten back around the bend from THAT experience, the latest development is this:

The pack of matches pops out and says "WELCOME TO CANADA."

I am unhappy about this because it has taken unemployment years for someone to welcome me to my own country.

A young lady in our office is having a bad time with some of the young (and not so young) gentlemen who surround her.

I wouldn't for the world mention her name, so let us call her Sue.

And one of the young gentlemen who sits in the vicinity of her desk has taken to compiling a list of what he calls "Sueisms."

Or which I shall let you sample two:

"I bought the most gorgeous hat Saturday, all blossoms and stuff on top and a big brim . . . you guys aren't listening . . . what makes me mad is, you guys don't even PRETEND you're interested."

And:

"Whenever I have dinner with wine, I have to have sherry because it's the only one I can pronounce."

A fact which upsets me terribly was brought to my attention yesterday.

In Patagonia (a name formerly applied to the whole south portion of the South American Continent, extending from the Strait of Magellan indefinitely northward to about the 38th parallel of south latitude) hardly anyone is named Pat.

TOPICS OF THE DAY

Annual dance of the Saanich Police Benevolent Society will be held Friday, March 1, at the Crystal Garden.

Tickets are on sale at \$4 a couple and may be obtained from any member of the Saanich police department.

Victoria Optimist Club will be host to 40 delegates from the western United States and western Canada at a district board meeting Friday at the Empress Hotel.

Plans for the district convention to be held in Saskatoon in May will be discussed.

City council finance committee will ask council Friday to approve a luncheon for about 100 persons attending a Pacific Northwest City Managers' Association convention here May 13. The committee will ask authorization to spend up to \$300 in this regard.

Equimault Community Club meeting tonight, at 8 o'clock, has been cancelled because of the weather.

Victoria council Friday will consider asking Oak Bay to increase payments toward upkeep of Gonzales Bay beach which is cared for on an intermunicipal basis.

In the past Victoria has done the work and has received a donation of \$50 a year from Oak Bay.

Council parks committee has now advised council beach upkeep this year will cost \$1,350, plus \$1,000 for beach clearance. The committee recommends Oak Bay be asked to pay a larger share of the increased costs.

A ban on all non-essential local improvement debentures until bonds on hand are sold will be recommended to Saanich council by its finance committee.

Coun. Eugene Diespecker, committee chairman, said only essential projects such as sewerage and water-works would be financed by debentures during the tight money period, unless cash is paid for work.

Victoria council public works committee today approved painting of pedestrian crosswalks at the following intersections:

Pandora and Stadacona, Pandora and Begbie, Cook and Rockland, Richmond and Haultain, Government and Queens, Fort and St. Charles, and Fairfield and Masters.

The Canadian Forces Decoration was presented to five officers and NCOs by B.C. Area commander Brig. J. W. Bishop, following his inspection at Bay Street Armoury Tuesday.

From 25 Militia Group headquarters, Maj. B. W. Murdoch received the CD and a civil defence certificate indicating completion of a recent liaison course for militia officers.

Members of 5 Medium Battery who were given the award were Capt. J. F. Parker, Sgt. H. W. Pigot, Sgt. J. L. Kennedy and Bdr. J. Mullen.

Director of social service at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Miss Margaret Bradley was appointed secretary-treasurer of the Victoria unit, Canadian Cancer Society, at a meeting in the Jubilee Tuesday night.

She also will be in charge of the cancer information centre at the hospital.

Reports showed that \$1,737 was spent by the local unit in 1956 to provide assistance to needy cancer patients in Greater Victoria.

Local members have been invited to attend the Carberry Pioneers Association of Vancouver annual social and whist drive in the Jewish Community Hall, 11th Ave. and Oak Street, Vancouver, Sat., Feb. 16 at 8 p.m.

Lee Jan, 538 Fisgard was fined \$300 or three months at hard labor after pleading guilty in city police court today to bootlegging.

Lee sold one dozen beer to a plain clothes police constable Sunday, court was told.

A search of his premises uncovered 30 dozen bottles of beer, three cases of wine and a number of bottles of hard liquor.

The Art Gallery of Greater Victoria will show three color films starting at 8.30 Thursday night.

They are "The Seasons," "The Looon's Necklace" and "Newfoundland Scene."



A CHARRED SEWING BOX and its baked contents were salvaged from the thin heap of ashes left this morning after flames razed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonel Genereaux 150 feet off the Trans-Canada Highway near Cobble Hill at dusk Tuesday. The couple, seen here, lost all but a few belongings.—(Times photo by Irving Strickland)

\$470 in Fines Against Sailors For Taking Cars, Careless Driving

Three sailors involved in stolen car incidents last Friday night were fined a total of \$470 in city police court today.

Ross Buchanan, HMCS Naden, was ordered to pay \$235 or spend 65 days in jail.

He was fined \$100 on each of two charges of taking a car without the owner's consent and \$35 for careless driving.

Police said Buchanan piled the first car into a parked auto, fled on foot and stole another vehicle before his arrest.

Harley Andrew and Kenneth Brown, both HMCS Naden, each were fined \$100 for taking a car without the owner's consent, and Brown was fined an additional \$35 for careless driving.

They were arrested after being involved in a collision at Belleville and Government.

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MOBILE CARAVAN TO TELL STORY OF B.C.'S INDUSTRIAL GROWTH

A mobile caravan designed to tell the story of 100 years of industrial growth in B.C. will tour the province during the 1958 centenary, L. J. Wallace, chairman of the Centennial Committee, announced today.

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CITY, SAANICH, MILL BAY

Five Boat Ramps Ready This Year

Five small boat launching ramps—four public and one private—will be in operation in the Victoria-Saanich-Mill Bay area in the coming year, Victoria Outboard Club Commodore Harry Adams said today.

One of the outstanding concessions, he said, will be releasing by the navy of one half of the huge cement ramp at the Patricia Bay Airport marine section for public use and launching of trailer-born pleasure boats.

"As I understand it, a fence will be run down the middle of the ramp, leaving one side for navy use and the other side for the public," he said. "We have also been told that the large cement apron will be available for public parking."

The provincial government has bought property by the Mill Bay ferry landing, and will create a parking space and cement ramp on the site where a sloping beach has been used as a makeshift launching area.

ACCESS ROAD

B.C. Cement Co. Ltd. is going to build an access road, parking and picnic area, launching ramp and water ski float at Sandy Beach south of Mill Bay, and hopes to start work in a month.

"The water ski float will keep skiers away from the swimming area," Mr. Adams said.

The Capital Improvement District Commission will build a ramp at Ogden Point as part of its beautification program, and a private ramp will be in operation at the Van Isle Marina near Sidney.

Establishment of the ramps to serve owners of small in-board and outboard craft, usually carried on trailers, has been the leading objective of the club, which was formed last year.

Q. In what year was the headquarters fire hall on Cornmont Street built, and what was it built for? J.R.

A. The structure was authorized in 1890 and construction was carried out in the following year. The structure was erected as a market building and later part of it was transformed into the headquarters fire hall.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the question along to The Times, addressed to "Ask The Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily.

A question should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums.

ASK THE TIMES

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ESQUIMALT NAVAL SHIP MOVEMENTS

Naked Baby Sits in Snow

Blaze Destroys Up-Island Home

Insurance Just Lapsed; Little Furniture Saved

By AB KENT, Times Staff Reporter

A baby girl sat naked in a snowbank for nearly an hour Tuesday night as her parents' house burned to the ground near Cobble Hill.

Linda, who will be two next Monday, was waiting for her bath as her mother, Mrs. Ruth Genereaux, 23, washed dishes in the kitchen of their home on the Trans-Canada Highway near Fisher road.

When fire from an overheated sheet metal wood stove broke out in a lean-to storeroom at the rear of the house, Mrs. Genereaux snatched her daughter and put her in a high chair outside.

The little girl sat watching the fire while Mrs. Genereaux and neighbors tried to save furnishings. It was nearly an hour before she was remembered by her mother. Someone had put a coat around the child.

"She didn't say 'boo'; just sat there," her mother said.

This morning Linda appeared none the worse except for the sniffles.

Everything but a few items of furniture, the family car, a water pump and the clothes worn by the couple went up in flames.

Fire started about 6.15 while Leonel Genereaux, 29, was on the night shift driving for Copley Bros. at Bamberton cement works.

His last concern on leaving home for work was to remind his wife to watch the fire.

The heater was the same type which caused a Sooke house to burn and take the lives of two children a few days after Christmas.

INSURANCE LAPSED

Insurance on the Genereaux home and furnishings, valued at about \$6,000, lapsed Jan. 24 and Mr. Genereaux intended to renew it next payday.

Only effort to snuff flames, which ate rapidly into the cedar shiplapped, three-room frame house, was made by Steve Crothers, first neighbor on the scene, who threw snow at the burning house.

By the time help arrived there were only a few minutes left to remove mattresses, radio, TV set, refrigerator, a table and chest of drawers.

Nearest firefighting equipment was at Mill Bay, but it is used only by fire protective association members, which the Genereauxs were not. Shawngnan Lake fire apparatus was too far away to be sent.

Relief for the stricken family is being organized by Cobble Hill branch of Vancouver Island Ratepayer's Association, Cobble Hill Community Hall Committee, Shawngnan Lake, Cobble Hill Farmers' Institute and Women's Institute.

Mr. Genereaux built much of the house himself during the past 2½ years and had completed the interior. The lean-to containing the heater was left with a view to building an addition to the home.

Cleaning up after supper, Mrs. Genereaux went into the storeroom to check the heater.

"It had two pieces of wood in it and everything looked all right," she said.



TWO-YEAR-OLD LINDA GENEREUX sat in the snow without whimpering and without clothes while her house burned to the ground. Her mother ran with her from the burning home, and had no time to dress her daughter, whose clothes were destroyed with the house Tuesday night.

THURSDAY MEETINGS

Victoria Rotary: Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m. R. W. Purves, B.C. Electric Co., will speak on "Human Relations in Business and Industry."

Oak Bay Kiwanis: Oak Bay Beach Hotel, 6.15 p.m. Dr. J. Beattie McLean will discuss "Austria-Soviet Relations."

St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society: Knights of Pythias Hall, 8 p.m. Amateur night after meeting.

Via-Flex Health Club: Orange Hall, 7.30 p.m. Mrs. Ivy Parsons will speak on "I Had Cancer."

Y's Men's Club: YMCA, 6.30 p.m.

Victoria Kinsmen: Pacific Club, 6 p.m.

Victoria Optimists: Pacific Club, noon luncheon.

Esquimalt-Saanich Seat Sought by Sinclair Aide

Alistair Fraser, 34-year-old private secretary to Fisheries Minister James Sinclair, will resign that post "very shortly" to move to Victoria and contest the federal Liberal nomination in Esquimalt-Saanich, it was confirmed today.

In a wire to this newspaper, Mr. Fraser said he intended to open a law practice in Victoria.

He is expected to arrive here in mid-March.

If he succeeds in winning the Liberal nomination, which was contested in the last federal election by Duncan McBride, Mr. Fraser will face a tough opponent in Maj.-Gen. George R. Pearkes, VC, who has held the seat for the Progressive Conservatives since 1945.

Fraser is a graduate of the University of B.C., where he was a Canadian university champion debater.

He is nephew of Mrs. (Dr.) W. G. Wilson of this city, and son of the Hon. Alistair Fraser, Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia.

As private secretary to Mr. Sinclair, Mr. Fraser accompanied the fisheries minister on his tour of the Russian industry two years ago and brought Mr. Sinclair back to Canada after his serious accident during inspection of a Russian fishing plant.

TRAFFIC FINES

In city court today:

Philip G. Holmes, 3191 Admirals, \$35 for careless driving Jan. 16 when his taxi collided with the rear of another auto stopped in traffic on Douglas at a pedestrian crosswalk, causing a total of \$950 damage.

Holmes was restricted to business driving for the next month.

Joseph Dobbie, 1224 Reynolds, \$25, expired driver's licence.

By STUART KEATE

We Could Do It Here!

authentic Hawaiians. The fact that his firm was prepared to develop and print color film in 24 hours attracted the shutterbugs in droves. The Parks Board provided the setting and the bleachers. The Visitors' Bureau, airlines and steamship companies, hotels and transportation firms chipped in.

The show itself lasts 75 minutes and is presented against a stunning backdrop of rolling surf and leaning palms, with a grass hut and red outrigger handy as appropriate photographic "props." A tall, grey-haired woman named Louise Akeo, handsome in a long cotton dress, tells the story of each dance and explains the traditions of poi pounding, coconut

tree climbing and net throwing.

Just for laughs—and "gag" pictures—there are a couple of comic dances in which a 300-pound Hawaiian woman named Muriel goes into the crowd, flings her arms around various good-natured gentlemen and kisses them on the tops of their balding pates.

Needless to say, the shutters click furiously during these Polynesian peccadilloes. (I am withholding for vast sums of money a picture of Ald. Arthur Dowell of Victoria being bussed by this behemoth.)

The economics of this operation can be easily understood. A novice color-cameraman found that he had taken 20 pictures (at 20 cents a shot) at the

first show, for a total of \$4. Since about 500 other camera fiends were doing the same thing—both in stills and movies—the revenue for the morning show was not inconsiderable.

There is another excellent dividend: each picture taken will eventually be shown to friends back home, thus providing the best free publicity in the world for Hawaii.

The obvious thought occurs: why couldn't we do a similar show during the tourist season, here in Victoria?

We have a first-class attraction in our native Indians. Their dances, their costumes and their crafts, if intelligently presented, would be magnificent subjects for the cameras of visiting Americans.

We have a logical site at Thunderbird Park, or at the base of the World's Tallest Totem. All we need is the support of the Parks Board, the Indian Arts Council, the photographic supply houses, TCA, the CPR and the other transportation boys.

It's a natural! Sam Lane, take it away.





SHOPPING GUIDE

Up-to-Date Collar Tabs Meant for the Modern Man

By PENNY SAVER

You men who are grumbling about wilted collars, that inevitably give you a rather untidy appearance need grumble no more. You're just a bit behind the times if you are still wrangling with little plastic or wire stays that usually end up wearing out the points of your collars. Of course, I can't expect you to find all the new things right off, that's why I'm making a point of telling you about these little collar wonders I found in town. They'll work magic with that business shirt of yours. Brand new collar stiffeners that approach the problem of curled or sagging collars in a new way, are available for just 25 cents a set.

Shaped like little collar fronts themselves, these collar tabs are of a stiffened plastic. They fold over your tie and tuck neatly and efficiently under your collar. Press the tie and tab snugly where you want 'em, just under the collar front, and your worries about wilted collars are over. The inside of the plastic fold is molded with little gripping lines so that it will stay put. What could be easier! And a wonderful point is that though your collars will be neatly and smartly stiffened, there's no wear and tear on the fabric. A quarter is small price to pay for such a handy device that makes all the difference in a man's appearance!

I promised you men that I'd drop a few ideas about Valentine gifts you can buy here in town. Flowers... always a

Senior IODE Chapter Activities Commended

Mrs. Warren Smith, municipal regent, speaking at the annual meeting, commended the Gonzales Chapter, IODE, for educational and welfare work done during the year. The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. A. Joanes, 1324 St. David Street, with regent, Mrs. A. Chisholm, in the chair.

In the secretary's report given by Mrs. Joanes, it was shown that layettes were made for babies of unwed mothers, and flowers had been taken to the Veterans' Hospital. Twelve plastic duff bags were filled and distributed to children of Hungarian refugees. Treasurer's report, prepared by Mrs. W. F. U. Copeman, showed total receipts as \$275.20 and total disbursements, \$271.09. Bridge games netted \$50 and a child and welfare tea, \$30.25 and articles of children's clothing.

A total of \$282.49 was spent on educational projects, Mrs. D. Kerfoot said in her educational report. Bursaries of \$100 each were presented and books given to various classes in Happy Valley school. Other reports were given as follows: Echoes, Mrs. E. Peterson; services at home and abroad, Mrs. Copeman; standard bearer, Mrs. R. W. Shannon.

Special guests included Mrs. Warren Smith, Mrs. T. Lumsden, Mrs. J. L. Gates and Mrs. R. H. Spilsbury.

Mrs. A. Chisholm was re-elected regent of the chapter. Her executive includes: First vice-regent, Mrs. C. W. Clarke; second, Mrs. W. R. Hobbs; secretary, Mrs. A. Joanes;

Reports Heard This Morning

A box of supplies valued at \$50 was sent to Portage la Prairie. It was reported by Mrs. E. Mackay, at this morning's meeting of the 41st Victoria Presbyterian of the Presbyterian WMS. Cash to the amount of \$96 was also contributed.

Other reports were given as follows: Welcome and welfare, Mrs. A. Stewart; life membership, Mrs. D. A. McDonald; press, Mrs. A. B. Harvey; literature, Mrs. G. Cordner; library, Mrs. W. J. Jolly; senior auxiliary, Mrs. H. Warren; visual education, Mrs. J. L. W. McLean; assistance to students, Mrs. Peter Jonge; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Warren. Devotions were taken by Miss Flora Whitford and stewardship discussion by Mrs. McLean. Noonday prayers were conducted by Miss Ellen Douglas. The meetings concluded this afternoon.

Women on Furlough Tell Experiences

A panel discussion on missions work, conducted by Miss Mary Sherrick, BA, BEd, of Bhil, India, and Miss Ellen Douglas, formerly of India, was a highlight of the Tuesday evening session of the 43rd annual meeting of the Victoria Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Sherrick, at present on furlough, was appointed to the Bhil field with headquarters at Amkhut, India, in 1933. Her term was extended a year in order that a colleague might have a year's leave of absence. She is noted for her work in adaptation of the curriculum and in gearing it to the community environments and its needs.

Meetings, which commenced with registration Tuesday at 2 p.m., are being held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church with Mrs. Gaines Cameron presiding.

Greetings were given at the evening session as follows: St. Andrew's Church, Dr. J. L. W. McLean; Victoria Presbytery, Rev. E. G. Thompson, Moderator; Presbytery camp message, Rev. T. H. McAllister, and synodical message, Mrs. Maurice Clifford, president.

Mrs. J. McKinty, in giving report of the three young women's auxiliaries, announced they had contributed \$84.50. Mrs. L. Argyle announced that the one active evening auxiliary had contributed \$275 to general fund and \$11.25 to supply.

Devotions were taken by St. Andrew's CGIT group and the offering by the Chinese Women's Auxiliary.

IN AFTERNOON

Report on girls' organizations given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. R. A. Davis showed three Canadian Girls in Training groups with a total membership of 38. These groups contributed \$84.50 to general funds. Mrs. Davis also reported that 62 girls attended Glinza Lake camp last year.

There is a membership of 93 in the mission bands, said Mrs. J. Blott, and contributions amounted to \$77.75. Explorer groups have a membership of 96 and \$31.11 was contributed.

Other reports given Tuesday afternoon included Glad Tidings, Mrs. F. O. Jenkinson; home helpers, Mrs. F. R. Moore; Chinese work, Miss Gertrude Scott, and recording secretary, Mrs. R. H. Cox.

Discussion leader was Mrs. Maurice Clifford. A musical number was given by St. Andrew's Explorers Group and the closing prayer, taken by Mrs. W. Draper.

CLUB CALENDAR

Victoria Women's Institute, social afternoon, Friday at 2 p.m., YWCA. In memory of Adelaide Hoodless, founder of women's institutes in Canada. Mrs. Hazel Woodward, president of the South Vancouver Island district board, will speak. Mrs. J. L. Andrews president of the Victoria Branch, Canadian Association of Consumers, will also give a talk. Tea will be served. Visitors may attend.

Women of the Moose, Chapter No. 25, meeting Friday, at 7:30, in the Moose Hall, 514 Fort Street, for initiation. Formal dress.

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VALENTINE FROLIC PLANNED

Royal Jubilee Hospital Alumnae Association has arranged a Valentine frolic to be held in the White Eagle Hall on February 15 with Len Acres' orchestra in attendance. The planning committee includes, from the left, Mrs. R. A. Bolt, alumnae president; Mrs. J. A. McCague and Mrs. D. G. Lister.

Regent's Gavel Handed Mrs. Fowler Of Robert Burns McMicking Chapter

Mrs. Owen Fowler became regent of Robert Burns McMicking Chapter, IODE, Tuesday evening. She succeeds Miss Constance Chow.

Other members of the executive include Mrs. Peter Balagno, first vice-regent; Mrs. J. T. A. Fox, second; Mrs. Herbert Barnes, secretary; Mrs. Austin Elinton, treasurer; Miss Margery Tindall, services at home and abroad; Mrs. W. Bromley, educational secretary; Miss Alison Chow, Echoes; Miss Carus Leakey, standard bearer; Miss Alice McDougall, assistant secretary.

In giving the retiring secretary's report for Mrs. H. Barnes, Mrs. W. Bromley recalled main money-making events, which were a smorgasbord dinner, a fashion show, rummage sales and raffles. Much work had been done for the blind of Victoria during the past year.

Treasurer, Mrs. Austin Elinton, announced receipts as \$1,305.65 and disbursements, \$1,337.11.

A sum of \$406.22 was spent on education and \$163.93 was given towards entertainment for the blind.

Educational secretary, Mrs. Balagno, reported that \$50 was donated to S. J. Willis school band towards its trip to the Music Festival at Waterloo, Ont.; \$100 to the IODE bursary fund; readers and \$30 towards a radio-phonograph for James Bay Elementary School. Two \$100 scholarships were awarded. Donations of clothing were given to St. Michael's School at Alert Bay, Veterans' Hospital, Korea and British and European

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For the local guests, should the invitations be written or would telephoning them be equally suitable? Louise Davis answers: I suggest that you write each of the out-of-town relatives that you are giving an informal buffet dinner party for your parents and that you would love to have them join the family if they can. There is no need to say anything more. Some of those accepting may ask you to do them the favor

of making hotel reservations. If so answer and say that you have complied with their requests and tell them which hotel. You are not obligated to pay the bill any more than you are to pay their travelling expenses.

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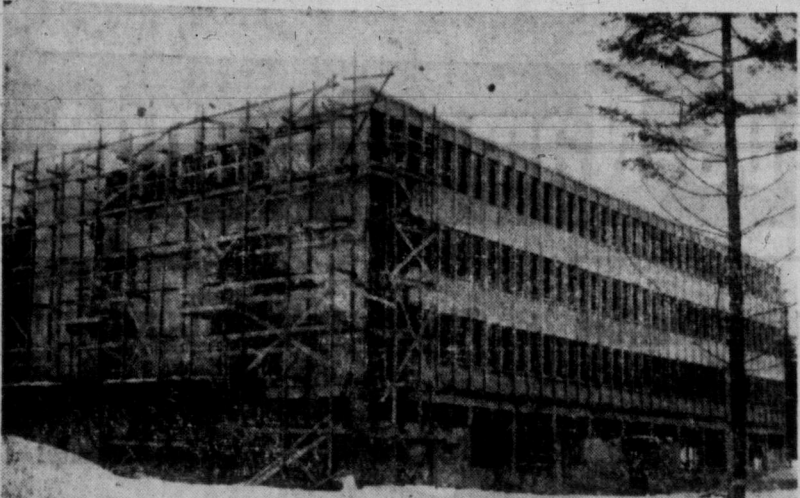
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SNOW AND ARCTIC WEATHER have failed to halt work on new \$910,000 Campbell River and District Hospital, under construction on five-and-a-half-acre site donated by village of Campbell River, and completion date is set for June. It will serve area cor-

responding roughly to School District 72. Hospital will have 60 beds, provision for additional story and will command fine view of Discovery Passage. Tenders have just been called for nurses' home.—(Times photo)

M & B NET PROFITS DROP \$1 MILLION; SALES UP

VANCOUVER (CP)—Net profit for Macmillan & Bloedel Ltd. in the quarter ending Dec. 31 dropped more than \$1,000,000 despite an increase of \$700,000 in the lumber company's sales.

President H. S. Berryman said Tuesday in a quarterly shareholders report that net for the period was \$3,276,937, or 62 cents a share, compared with \$4,845,993, or 82 cents a share, for the corresponding period in 1955.

He said sales advanced \$700,000 to \$39,933,889 but "prices of all products except pulp were markedly lower."

PENALTY FOR GRAVE ROBBERY INCREASED IN PENNSYLVANIA

HARRISBURG, Pa. (AP)—The state Senate has passed a bill to increase the penalties for grave robbing in Pennsylvania. Under amendments passed unanimously Tuesday the fine for tampering illegally with a buried body or damaging cemetery property would be increased to \$5,000 from \$1,000 and the maximum prison term raised to three years from one.

CONFIDENTIALLY YOURS

—by Byrne Hope Sanders



MONTREAL, Feb. 7th — Had a triumph last night! Served family and special guests the thrilling new Lipton's Soup—Lipton's Green Pea Soup! It's a velvet-smooth puree of peas with spicy "smoky" flavor that's so difficult to get. The chefs at Lipton's have created this new delight to add to their other triumphs—Chicken Noodle, Tomato Vegetable, Beef Noodle and Onion Soup. But try this new Lipton's Green Pea Soup for yourself. It's so easy! You simply add the contents of the handy Lipton's package to cold water, bring to a boil, let simmer for a few minutes... and serve. I know you'll enjoy Lipton's Green Pea Soup... it's real homemade flavor!

FREE BOOKLET OF RECIPES... that can be prepared in minutes... are found in a helpful folder, "Hostess Hints." Enclosed in every box of the delectable New McCormick's Club Crackers. There's one for "Ham Surprises"—a scrumptious ham mixture garnished with egg, white, mushrooms, olives and spread on wonderful Club Crackers. And believe me, this is just one of many... all delicious! Another? "Cheese Mergers"... ummm, they're good. For a party, there's nothing better to bring a new interest to your company and hostess. Smart hostesses everywhere are discovering how popular Club Crackers are with everyone! Try them!

Hanging Out The Laundry? Don't neglect the little care you need to keep your hands soft and pretty. Use Campagna's ITALIAN BALM. Balm right away, I hope you have the household size, with the new handy dispenser—both are only 49¢! With a quick thumb pressure, just enough Italian Balm is released to rub briskly into your hands—to keep them nice. Use famed Italian Balm after every exposure to wind—water—weather. Make sure your children use it when they've been playing, or working outside. It really keeps away that chapped roughness we all dislike. At drug counters everywhere.

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IN OYSTER BAY, BOWSER AREAS

New Phone Systems To Cost \$200,000

COURTENAY — Equipment has been ordered to provide automatic telephone service to Black Creek and Oyster Bay to the north, and Qualicum Bay, Dashwood and Bowser to the south, according to W. S. Pipes, B.C. Telephone Co. vice-president and general manager.

The two systems will cost about \$100,000 each, he said, and the company hopes to have them in operation this year.

This sum will cover the erection of a building in the Oyster Bay area, the provision of automatic equipment, the installation of long distance circuits to Courtenay, and the erection of poles and wires to carry the service to subscribers.

The boundaries of the new exchange will extend from the northern edge of the Courtenay exchange to the southern edge of the Campbell River exchange, thereby eliminating toll station service in the area.

Information, assistance and long distance service will be provided by operators located in Courtenay.

In his announcement on the Qualicum project, Mr. Pipes said: "Erection of outside distribution plant—airial cable, wire and pole lines—will get under way almost immediately. The automatic equipment has been ordered and we hope it will arrive in time to get the service working before the end of the year."

It also will include the erection of a building in the Qualicum area, the provision of automatic equipment, the installation of long distance circuits to Nanaimo, and the erection of poles and wires to carry the service to subscribers.

The boundaries of the new exchange will extend from the northern edge of the Qualicum exchange to the southern edge of the Union Bay exchange, thereby eliminating toll station service in the area.

There will be no operators located in Qualicum Bay. Long distance and assistance calls will be handled by operators in Nanaimo.

New Work Slated For Tofino Road

A key section of the Alberni-Tofino road, which will be built by the provincial government, it scheduled to be started next June.

This assurance was given on Tuesday by Highways Minister P. A. Gagliardi to a delegation from the Associated Chambers of Commerce of Vancouver Island.

The section is between Kennedy Lake and Taylor River. Mr. Gagliardi said the Sprout Lake section of the road now being built by MacMillan & Bloedel should be completed about this time. The government's construction could not be started until then.

PLANNING STAGE

He also assured the delegation that extension of the Island Highway north from Campbell River to the northern tip of the Island is in the planning stage.

"We were encouraged to learn that the government is going ahead with these vital projects," said T. B. Hargreaves of Campbell River, who led the seven-man delegation.

The delegation suggested an alternate Island highway out of Victoria which would by-pass the Malahat.

"Mr. Gagliardi told us this idea would have to be studied

Plywood Mill Reopens At Port Alberni

PORT ALBERNI—Work has resumed at the Alberni Plywood Division of MacMillan & Bloedel Ltd., following a week-long shutdown because of adverse weather.

About 800 persons have returned to work in the mill.

The mill was closed because the extreme cold weather made cutting of veneer impossible.

\$170,483 Estate Left By Miss Kate Galt

NANAIMO—Funeral services were held Monday for Mrs. Elizabeth Annie Hawthornthwaite, 85, who died Friday in hospital.

Born in Nanaimo, she was the daughter of the late Mark Bate, first mayor of Nanaimo. She was the widow of James Hawthornthwaite, MLA for the constituency of Nanaimo from 1901 to 1908, and 1909 to 1912, and of Newcastle from 1918 to 1921, who died in 1928.

She was a charter member of the IOOE here and a member of Crescent Chapter, OES.

Surviving are four sons, Allan, Victoria; William, Nanaimo; Gilbert, Cedar; and James, Duncan; three daughters, Mrs. R. Burton, Nanaimo; Mrs. J. Spooner, Port Alberni; and Mrs. V. DeBeck, Naramata; a brother, John Bate, in San Diego, and two sisters, Mrs. Lucy Davies, Seattle, and Mrs. Mary Heathcote, Port Alberni.

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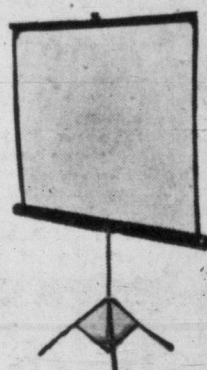
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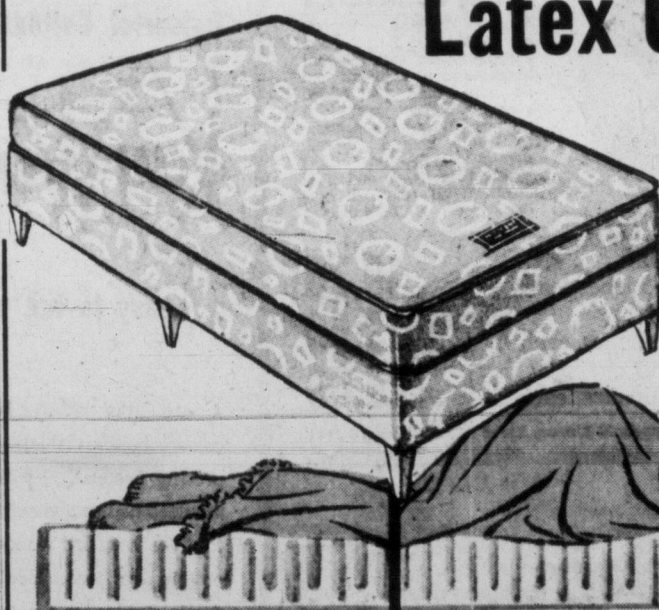
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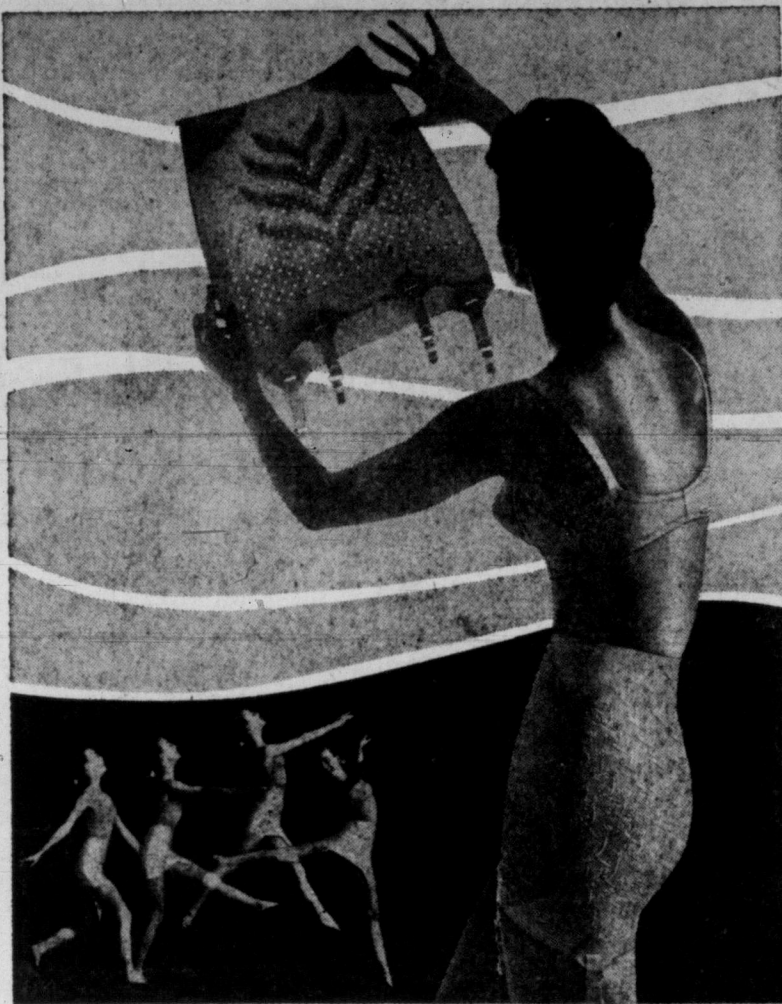
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Soviet Economic Plan Hits Snag

Production Goals for '57 Indicate Original Five-Year Plan Is Failure

NEW YORK (AP)—The Kremlin's production goals for 1957 give a good indication of how greatly the sixth five-year plan over-estimated the Soviet Union's ability to expand output.

Stolen Lumber Case Going To High Court

Romeo (Frenchie) Comeau, 360 Ker, today was committed for trial in a higher court on a charge of retaining stolen property—two loads of lumber valued at \$500.

Magistrate H. C. Hall made the order in city police court following a preliminary hearing Tuesday.

The Crown alleges that Comeau retained the lumber which was stolen from B.C. Forest Products Jan. 11.

GUILTY PLEA

Ronald Hodge, 590 Boleskin, a truck driver for Western Lumber Carriers, has admitted stealing the lumber and will be sentenced later.

Hodge originally pleaded not guilty but changed his plea to guilty Tuesday and defence counsel James Proudfoot said he would ask for a probation report.

Hodges, who was hauling the lumber to Ogden Point Dock for export shipment, admitted taking two loads to the Dalziel Box Co. yard where it was left for a week.

Comeau, foreman at the Victoria Retail Lumber Co., is alleged to have picked up the lumber with a carrier and taken it to his firm's yard at 1901 Government.

Detectives Angus Munro and Alex Briggs testified they found that the ends of the large-size lumber had been sawn off.

Hodge previously admitted obliterating the B.C. Forest Products markings with black ink.

Hodge was called as a defence witness by Lloyd McKenzie, counsel for Comeau, and said he had never talked directly to Comeau about the lumber.

Hodge received no money for the lumber, court was told.

Six-Months-Old Baby Suffocated by Cat

VENICE, Italy (Reuters)—A six-month-old baby, Milena Marangon, was suffocated here by a cat which climbed into her cradle and curled up asleep on her face.

DUKE SHAVEN CLEAN NOW NEARS QUEEN

GIBRALTAR (Reuters)—The Duke of Edinburgh arrived here today aboard the royal yacht Britannia—minus the beard he had grown during his Commonwealth world tour.

The duke will spend nine days here before going on to Portugal to meet the Queen.

The Queen and the duke will spend two days aboard the Britannia before sailing for Lisbon for their three-day state visit, starting Feb. 18.

Farm Hand Committed In B.C. Gun Slaying

LANGLEY, B.C. (CP)—Ernest John Gardiner, 20-year-old Penticton farm hand, will stand trial on a charge of murder in the death Aug. 10 of James Martin, 45.

Martin, formerly of Ontario, was shot at the Sunnymede Farm near here. A nine-year-old boy discovered his body Dec. 27 on the banks of the Nicomekl River.

An autopsy showed Martin had been shot in the head by a .22-calibre rifle.

Gardiner, represented by Dudley Edwards, reserved his defence Tuesday when deputy magistrate A. E. Roberts ordered him committed for trial at the New Westminster assizes.

Mrs. Louise Moorme, a sister of the accused, said Tuesday Gardiner left a .22-calibre rifle at her Langley home late in October. She said her brother told her he brought the gun from Penticton where he had gone for a holiday.

An RCMP firearms expert testified earlier that this rifle could not have fired the bullet that killed Martin.

A second .22-calibre gun borrowed by the accused from a youth in the Langley district "probably" fired the fatal shot, the expert said. Both guns were entered as exhibits.

Monty Gilchrist, 13, of Victoria, said he saw Gardiner coming from a home near the Sunnymede farm with what

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Ontario, Quebec Now Hold Fate Of Health Plan

OTTAWA (CP)—Newfoundland's approval of federal hospital insurance proposals was announced in the Commons Tuesday, bringing the federal-provincial plan another step closer to reality.

News of the acceptance by Newfoundland, first provincial Liberal government to fall in line with the federal plan, was given to the House by Health Minister Martin.

The announcement was made as Mr. Martin told of continued talks with Ontario and Manitoba, which have not yet accepted the scheme.

Four provinces are ready to enter the plan under which the central government would pay half the cost of standard-ward hospital care and diagnostic services. The others are British Columbia and Alberta, both with Social Credit governments, and CCF-governed Saskatchewan.

SIX MUST ACCEPT

The offer will not go into effect until accepted by at least six provinces with a majority of Canada's population.

Two more provinces must accept. One must be either Ontario or Quebec, since these two provinces contain most of Canada's people.

Unity Move By Italian Socialists

VENICE (AP)—Pietro Nenni arrived here for his Italian Socialist party congress today declaring he is through playing with the Communists.

Four of international socialism's leaders are sitting in on the week-long sessions of the Italian party to judge how clean a break Nenni may make with his Red allies of the last 10 years.

If they are convinced he has split all the way, the congress may lead to a reunification of Italian socialism that would change the country's political picture.

A clean break from the Communist alliance and support of NATO was the price set by Vice-Premier Giuseppe Saragat for a reunion of his Social Democrats with Nenni's Socialist party. They split 10 years ago.

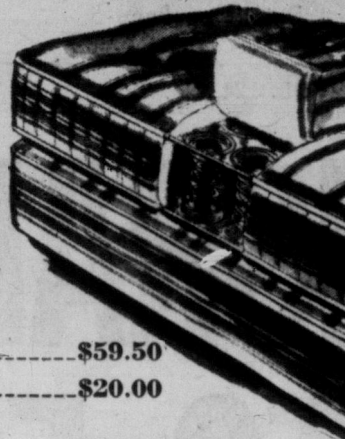
A united Socialist party might go into the 1958 national elections as the second strongest in Italy. The Christian Democrats now head a four-party government coalition.

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TWO FOR THE SHOW

By PHIL LEE

RE "BABY DOLL"—Certainly this column has no quarrel with B.C.'s movie censor R. W. MacDonald's decision to ban—because of its gaudy publicity—the controversial "Baby Doll," described by those who have seen it as "well done trash."

That's what he is paid to do—keep offensive motion pictures from entering the province.

Certainly he and his two board members cannot be considered prudish. In the five years Mr. MacDonald has held office "Baby Doll" is only the second picture that has been banned.

Adult pictures such as "The Moon is Blue," banned by the Catholic League of Decency and barred by some Canadian provinces and in some areas of the United States, have been allowed in.

IT WOULD SEEM that in this instance the only fair criticism, that can be levelled against Mr. MacDonald and his board is that he committed the unpardonable sin of refereeing. After coming to a decision and announcing it he changed his mind.



ENGLISH GHOSTS GO MODERN

With its ancient manors and foggy streets England has always been a HAPPY HAUNTING ground for ghosts.

Today an R.A.F. Canteen stands on the site of a ruined abbey; BBC studios have replaced a haunted house; Scotland Yard trains recruits in an ancient chateau—BUT the ghosts are still there! In fact one has even taken over a subway.

Read "Ghosts in Modern Haunts" in this week's issue of the Star Weekly. The New STAR WEEKLY

A picture that one moment he adjudged suitable to be seen by British Columbians without endangering public morals he cancelled because it had engendered "too much publicity."

Surely if it was thought passable in the first instance the publicity attending "Baby Doll" should not have altered the case at all as far as Mr. MacDonald's jurisdiction went.

Main point of all this is, should there be censorship at all? Are we adults or are we children? If the latter, who is to say we are children? And who is to say who is adult enough to judge what we are to see and hear?

Also, let's be consistent about the whole matter. Let's censor TV—Heavens knows it could stand it at times. Let's censor our books, our plays, even our paintings.

OF COURSE, this would be impossible. It simply wouldn't be permitted. Nor would it be good. For where would it end? Depending upon the censor anything that strove to paint life as it is and not what it is hoped to be would be milk-and-watered down until nothing could be written pictorialized, painted or enacted that had any message whatsoever.

Our own thought on the matter, for what it is worth, is that we should copy the British method of slapping a nice big fat "X" on all motion picture advertising of an adult nature. This warns those who don't like this sort of thing to stay away.

Above all it tells parents that this is not suitable fare for their offspring.

Theatre managements would be up for heavy fine for allowing the young to go in.

Then let the "Baby Dolls" roll in. Trash has its own way of defeating itself and after awhile, the studios' own code and the need of making money would set things right.

GERMAN CARS

Ten factories producing passenger autos in West Germany had a total 1956 output of 960,000 units.



Leighton McMicking surveys his handiwork of six years.

SIX YEARS OF PAINSTAKING EFFORT COMPLETED

'I Guess I Just Went Overboard' Says Builder of \$1,500 Dollhouse

By DINAH KERR

Leighton McMicking of 1647 Ross has finished building his house and laid down his tools.

Counting in material and labor through the evenings of six winters, he has valued the modern four-room structure at \$1,500.

And no amount of money would induce him to build another.

"I've had it," he announced. The 30" by 24" doll's house, a masterpiece of true-to-life styling, was completed in time for Patricia McMicking's 10th Christmas. She ordered the house when she was four years old.

A provincial auditor and amateur carpenter, Mr. McMicking doesn't know when building the house became an obsession with him.

OVERBOARD

"I guess I just went overboard," he said. "I intended to make just an ordinary four-room place for the kid to play with."

Working up to five hours a night, he couldn't rest until there were latches on all doors and cupboards, and real glass windows in every room were put into place.

He laid linoleum in kitchen, bathroom and bedroom and

wall-to-wall green carpeting in the living room.

For three months he labored over an imitation granite chimney and fireplace sprayed with 30 layers of sand. Painstakingly he checked the roof with 800 Duroid shingles and stuccoed the walls.

Everything in the house, except bathroom fixtures and a vase of flowers, was constructed by hand.

This includes a refrigerator with freezing unit, tin stove, color TV set with mirrored corners ("better than the one we have," said Mrs. McMicking), green chesterfield suite, blond furniture in the bedroom and walnut tables and bookcases in the living room.

The house is bright with tiny lights covered by the plastic tops of medicine bottles or small lampshades.

Right down to the Venetian blinds joined by beads, the house is a homemaker's dream.

FILM FLICKS

Don't Go Near The Water Gets Navy Blessing

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Film-land notes and comments:

Insiders suspected the Navy would blow its stacks over the best-seller Don't Go Near the Water, a hilarious account of public relations in the Pacific war. Such is not the case. The brass okayed full co-operation for filming by MGM, though the Navy's public relations officers aren't too happy about the subject.

"You can look for a reconciliation any day now." That's the confident word of Aldo Ray concerning his renewed wooing of Jeff Donnell. Though they've separated four times and she has sued for divorce, they are dining together almost nightly. Aldo is making a strong pitch to come home again.

"Me play Las Vegas? Never," says Bing Crosby, one of the few remaining holdouts. The groaner remarked that he doesn't want to be connected with a gambling operation.

The Bastille by the Bay column of the San Quentin News, reports that prisoners got a big laugh out of a scene in Hell on Frisco Bay. Alan Ladd strolled out of the prison after five years inside and greeted Joanne Dru's welcoming embrace "with a steely-eyed, tense-jawed, 'I told you to get a divorce.'"

OPERATORS MOAN

The Paramount switchboard girls are moaning because they get about 500 phone calls daily from teen-agers inquiring about Elvis Presley, who is working there. The operators report the kids are polite, even when told Elvis can't come to the phone.

A happy picture is Happy Road, which Gene Kelly made in Europe. He has put a lot of wonderful touches in the film, many of them stemming back to silent movies. Worth seeing.

Travellers on Bob Hope's Alaska junket are still recalling one of life's embarrassing moments. That was when a general commented to Ginger Rogers about seeing her on the screen 30 years ago "when you were a big star." Ginger, who looks better than many starlets, tried to laugh it off. But the general insisted he remembered the film "because you played Irene Dunne's mother."

Mrs. McMicking beams upon her husband's creation and if she privately wishes it were 12 times larger who could blame her?

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Winnipeg Ballet Opens West Tour Performs in Vancouver Feb. 20

WINNIPEG (CP)—The Royal Winnipeg Ballet, Canada's oldest professional ballet group, takes to the road today for a three-week tour through Western Canada and the northwestern United States.

The company will take a blend of classical and modern ballets to folk in Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia, Washington and Montana. It will present distinctive Canadian choreography in high schools, civic auditoriums and city theatres.

The tour opens at Melville, Sask., tonight. It was on this date four years ago that the Queen granted the ballet permission to use "royal" in its name.

Artistic director Mrs. Betty Farrelly will head a group of 25 on the trip. Ruthanna Boris and Frank Hobi will lead 16 dancers, including 11-year-old Jane Adams, around whom has been built a fantasy, "The Wandering." The ballet, performed recently in Winnipeg for the first time, will be seen at Edmonton, Trail, B.C., Vancouver and Seattle.

For many of the young dancers, the tour means a long-awaited reunion with parents, relatives and friends.

Ted Patterson, 24-year-old dancer from Edmonton, has not been home for two years. He will stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Patterson.

"We make more money on tour," said Ted. "Thirty to forty dollars a week isn't much to live on."

Salaries for the group range from \$25 to \$45 a week for the September-February season, during which the dancers work a six-

day, five-night schedule each week.

Another dancer, Marina Katronis, will live with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Katronis, while the company is in Vancouver.

Vancouver will also be home for Kit Copping, Beverly Barkley and Margaret Grant, while Marsha Wardall comes from Seattle.

A stage manager, three stage crew, a wardrobe mistress, and two pianists, one of whom is the company's musical director, Robert Drumm, make up the rest of the touring group. Schoolbooks will go along for Jane Adams and 15-year-old Virginia Wakelyn.

The tour is Virginia's first. Born in Banff, Alta., she studied ballet in Toronto and when the tour ends she will return to St. Mildred's School there to complete Grade 11 schooling.

The ballet's itinerary includes: Feb. 15, Trail, B.C.; Feb. 18, Vancouver; Feb. 20, Wenatchee, Wash.; Feb. 23, Seattle; Feb. 25, Helena, Mont.; Feb. 28, Yakima.

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EL PASO, Tex. (AP)—Lilli Palmer, actress and singer, filed a divorce petition in Juarez, Mexico, Monday.

The petition charged "incompatibility of character" and said she and her husband, British actor Rex Harrison, have been separated more than a year. They were married in 1943.

Miss Palmer asked custody of the couple's son, Carey, born in 1944.

MEMORIAL ARENA SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 6

Cougars—9:30—10:30 a.m.
Royal Roads—12—2 p.m.
V.P.S.C. (Gen.)—3:30—5:30 p.m.
Minor Hockey—5:30—7 p.m.
V.P.S.C. (Sr.)—8—10 p.m.
Gov't Employees—10—11 p.m.

THURSDAY, FEB. 7

Minor Hockey—7—8:30 a.m.
Cougars—9:30—10:30 a.m.
Beginners—2—3 p.m.
Public Skating—4—6 p.m.
Beginners—4—6 p.m.
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